

WEATHER — Increasing cloudiness and warmer; probably showers in extreme northwest portion tonight. Tuesday showers and cooler in northwest portion. Maximum temperature today, 73 at 12 noon; minimum 40 at 4 a. m.

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AMERICANS SHOT IN CHINA

U. S.-CHINA BREAK THREATENED

Relations Declared Menaced by Capture of Americans

RELEASE TO BE DEMANDED

Protest Already Made by Minister in Orient

(BULLETIN) — (United Press) — British and American legations demand return of captives and explanation from Chinese government. Bandits demand one million dollars ransom.

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press) — A situation apparently regarded as seriously menacing good relations between the United States and the Peking government in China was described today by American Minister Schurman in the first official report to reach the state department regarding the capture of American citizens by bandits near the Shantung border.

The American minister is understood already to have made official representations on his own responsibility and it is expected that he will be instructed by the government here to pursue the most vigorous course to secure the release of the prisoners.

AMERICAN REPORT — The report was prepared by Schurman on the basis of information furnished him by an American citizen who was on the spot when the bandits attacked the tourist train on which many Americans were riding. It was indicated that so far as known, none of those taken prisoner had been harmed and the minister apparently was hopeful that they all would be released.

SITUATION SERIOUS — Minister Schurman's report was dated midnight, May 6, at Tientsin and described the situation as "very serious." A paraphrase made public by the department said: "An express train which left Saturday morning for Shanghai was held up about 2 a. m. Sunday by bandits near Lin-chang in the province of Shantung."

"Out of 26 passengers, 19 were held captive, including a Mr. Powell of the Weekly Review. "A Mr. Johnson, a British subject, was killed."

"The bandits are being pursued by a small force."

"Situation very serious. There is little information received so far."

"Have telegraphed Shanghai to inquire if there were other Americans on train."

"Information received from American (unnamed) in the scene."

AMERICAN DEMANDS — Should any American lose his life, the state department is prepared to make vigorous demands on the Peking authorities for restitution. Not only will suitable apologies be required, but indemnity must be paid and those responsible must be punished if good relations between the two governments are to continue.

In any case the United States will insist that more effective steps be taken in the future to protect Americans who are in China on legitimate errands.

Use of American troops to secure the release of the Americans held captive was suggested today as among the possibilities of the situation. A force of 800 enlisted men and 15 officers, with headquarters in Tientsin has been maintained in China for the purpose of policing and keeping open the Tientsin railway. In addition there is a marine detachment at Peking.

An order by President Harding would, in the opinion of state and war department officials, be sufficient to start the American troops in China in pursuit of the bandits to secure the release of the American captives.

RECEIVER NAMED

\$3,000,000 Debt Claimed Against Davis Sewing Machine Co.

DAYTON — (Associated Press) — Federal Judge John E. Sater today appointed Earl H. Turner receiver for the Davis Sewing Machine Co., a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Dayton. His bond was placed at \$10,000.

Appointment of a receiver followed the filing of a creditors' bill by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company of East Pittsburgh, in which it is claimed the Davis Sewing Machine Company is indebted to the petitioner and other creditors in an amount exceeding \$3,000,000.

Approximately \$2,400,000 is indicated upon mortgages bonds and approximately \$600,000 represents current liabilities due or to be due within the next 30 days, according to the bill.

That approximately \$2,000,000 of the current assets of the defendant company is made up of inventory which it is unable to liquidate, is stated in the bill. Current assets exclusive of the inventories approximate \$700,000.

TRAVELERS



All those affected with the spirit of wanderlust these balmy spring days are not mere men. Witness these recent arrivals in New York. (Top) of the "Coastal Franchise" comes to visit friends. (Second from top) Colette Charron, (center) French movie actress, is on a pleasure tour of the U. S. Miss Hilda Lindsay returns from South America and is awaiting a flight to Mars, having visited very country on the globe.

FIRE TRAPS SEVEN AT FINDLAY

Carried Down Ladders When Escape is Cut off

FINDLAY — (Associated Press) — Fire early today damaged three stores in the heart of the business district to the extent of \$150,000, according to estimates by fire department officials.

Seven persons living in apartments above the stores were rescued by firemen who carried them down ladders after all avenues of escape had been cut off by the flames.

Stores damaged were the Woolworth five and ten cent store, the M. L. Shoup shoe store and the store of the United Underwear Co.

The blaze is thought to have originated on the second floor above the dry goods company store.

WOMAN DIES IN FIRE

POMEROY, Ohio — (United Press) — Dr. James A. Miller, acting coroner will hold an inquest tonight in the burning to death in her home Sunday of Mrs. Susan Rhodes, 81 who lived alone on Wilk's Hill.

Dr. Miller and Elmer Ashworth, deputy sheriff, investigating the fire and death, believe robbers seeking to cover up a theft of money and attack on Mrs. Rhodes, are responsible.

Dr. Miller will perform an autopsy to learn if Mrs. Rhodes was struck before she burned to death. The woman who lived alone, was known to have had considerable money in her home Saturday she cashed a pension check.

HURT, MAN MAY DIE

Bicyclist Paralyzed After Being Hit by Auto

Edward Hicks, colored, 548 W. Elm-st., was in a critical condition today at City hospital following an accident at the West-st. Ottawa river bridge Sunday night.

Hicks had apparently lost the use of his legs early in the day because of paralysis and later in the day his condition became more serious.

He was riding a bicycle when an automobile, said by police to have been driven south on West-st. by Frank Roney, Buckland, struck him.

Hicks was hurled from the bicycle and auto wheels passed over the lower part of his body.

The man was taken to City hospital, where attendants said he was paralyzed from the waist down.

Police Sergeant Grant, who investigated the case, reported that Hicks had no light on his bicycle.

ARREST MADE IN DEATH PROBE

Missing Northwestern University Student Held at Akron

SOUGHT IN MOUNT CASE

Hundred Summoned to Appear Before Grand Jury

AKRON — (United Press) — Joseph Allen Mills, missing Northwestern University student, wanted for questioning in the death of Leighton Mount, hazing victim, was held here today by Akron detectives. He was employed at a local tire manufacturing plant.

GRAND JURY PROBE

CHICAGO — (Associated Press) — One hundred subpoenas have been issued for at and officials of Northwestern University, and officials of Evanston, the North Shore home of the institution, to appear before the grand jury which today started an investigation into the death of Leighton Mount, Northwestern freshman, whose skeleton was found under a lake front pier, a week ago, 20 months after he disappeared during or subsequent to a class rush.

Walter Dill Scott, president of the university, will be among those who testify before the grand jury, it is announced.

Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney, returned from his vacation last night to aid the grand jury.

Breaking a precedent, the grand jury did not spend a day or so in organization, but called the first group of witnesses this afternoon.

STATEMENT ISSUED

After his aides had reported the progress of the investigation as conducted by his office and that of Oscar Wolf, coroner, State's attorney Crowe issued a statement intimating that, if necessary, he would go through every fraternity, a class group of students and by process of elimination, to find out who has guilty knowledge of the killing. By that method, State's Attorney Crowe asserted, "that the manner in which the student met death and why his body was concealed beneath a pile of rocks under the pier could be ascertained."

Chief of Police Leggett of Evansville passed to State's Attorney Crowe for "what it is worth" a story told by John A. Strom, fisherman, who said that he saw four students duck a fifth in the lake, pour sand in his mouth and then drop him beneath a pier.

A. M. Doursoury, operator of a detective agency who was employed by the Mount family to investigate their son's disappearance, said reports he made on his work, a duplicate filed in the safe of the W. J. Burns International Detective Agency, and one given to the Mount family, had disappeared. Doursoury said he was attached to the Burns staff when he started his investigation. The duplicate report given to the Mount family was stolen from their home last Thursday night, he said, nothing else of value was taken.

FESS' SON WEDS

Springfield Girl Becomes Bride of Senator's Offspring

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio — (Associated Press) — Miss Mildred Diven, of this city, and Charles S. Fess, son of United States Senator S. D. Fess and wife, of Yellow Springs, were quietly married at ten a. m. today by Rev. Dr. Hough Houston, at the Central M. E. church parsonage.

Only the immediate families were present.

The bridegroom is in the insurance business here.

LIMA BOY SCOUTS WILL FLY FLAG PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT W. G. HARDING

It is the aim of Lima Boy Scouts to have flying with the council flag the steamer given by President Harding for a 25 per cent increase in membership, C. L. Conrad, scout executive stated Monday.

Time for the membership contest of scouts has been extended to include the remainder of the year and troops securing the 25 per cent increase receive the personal commendation of the president in the form of the red, white and blue streamer.

Plans are developing for the conduct of the Camp Camp Simont at Lake St. Marys, Conrad said. A feature of the camp this summer will be a nature den containing different varieties of trees, flowers and plant life. The den will also include specimens of woodcraft made from trees at the camp. Ethnological specimens from all parts of the country will also be shown in the den.

It is expected that Prentiss Lawrence, scoutmaster for Troop 1, will again be chief cook for the summer camp, Conrad said.

SAFE AT LAST



Here's first photo of Verner Alexanderson, six-year-old victim of the "radio kidnapping," after authorities found him near Theresa, N. Y., shown holding the head of the "wonderful doggie" given him by his abductors. With Verner is Mrs. H. D. Grinnell, of Alexandria Bay, N. Y., who was caring for the boy. She recognized him thru a newspaper clipping and had written a letter to his parents which she was about to mail when deputy sheriffs arrived.

TOLEDO HOTEL DAMAGED \$20,000 BY FLAMES

TOLEDO — Accompanied by all the thrills of a disastrous hotel blaze, fire last night heavily damaged the Tavern Hotel while the downtown streets were crowded with theater goers.

With two exceptions, all the guests escaped without assistance.

Several firemen and policemen distinguished themselves for bravery as they dashed into the smoke-filled hallways to give the alarm and search for guests who might have been overcome.

Loss to the Tavern amounts to \$20,000 and to adjoining property \$10,000.

MURDER OF GIRL CONFESSED

Crime Admitted by Two Young Men at Detroit

DETROIT — (Associated Press) — Max Novak, 19, and Edward Przybyski, 17, confessed today, the first announced, that they killed Helen Yosh, 17, in a vacant lot here late Sunday night, choking her when she resisted their advances.

The two young men were held after they had notified persons in a house near the vacant lot that a woman had fainted. They at first declared they had found the girl, who died a few minutes after being removed to the house.

The girl was identified today by her mother, Mrs. Mary Yesh, who collapsed upon seeing the body.

The alleged slayers were strangers to the Yesh family. They are said to have accosted the girl on the street.

S. R. HAYES DEAD

Son of Former President to be Buried at Fremont

OSSINING, N. Y. — (United Press) — The body of Scott Russell Hayes, youngest son of the late President, Rutherford B. Hayes, who died Sunday in a hospital here, will be taken today to Fremont, Ohio, for burial.

Hayes, vice-president of the New York Air Brake Company, was 57 years old. The cause of death was diagnosed as a tumor of the brain.

16 SALOON OWNERS ARRAIGNED IN COURT

STEUBENVILLE — Sixteen saloon owners were arraigned before the United States commissioner there today as a result of a wholesale raid here Saturday night.

Twenty dry agents who concentrated at Columbus, seized 600 dozen bottles of home brew, more than 30 gallons of moonshine and about 500 bottles of gin.

Eleven saloons and clubs were raided in one place, according to agents. 240 bottles of home brew were found and destroyed, in one place the agents say, they saw more than \$5,000 in one pile on a gambling table. The men were locked in the county jail Saturday night.

BANK CLERK HELD IN \$10,000 BAIL

Cleveland Youth is Charged With Grand Larceny

CLEVELAND — (Associated Press) — William A. Petro, 19, bookkeeper for the Cleveland Trust Company, accused of the theft of \$41,727 from a branch bank of the company, was ordered held in \$10,000 bail when arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of grand larceny. His hearing was postponed until May 11, to enable County Prosecutor Stanton to place the facts before the grand jury.

The theft which occurred last Wednesday night and was discovered when officials of the bank found the safe rifled Thursday morning, was made public Saturday when bank officials announced the money had been recovered from under a garage where they said Petro confessed he had buried it.

Petro was the hero of an attempted holding up of the Cleveland Trust Company branch bank at Bedford, Ohio, October 21, 1920, when he received wounds in facing gun fire of a gang of bank robbers which he helped capture. When he recovered from his wounds the bank presented him with \$2500 and promoted him to the position in the Cleveland branch.

BURNS TO DEATH

Columbus Woman is Victim of Gas Explosion

COLUMBUS — (Associated Press) — Mrs. Marie Herzog, aged 70, widow, died early today in a hospital from burns she received when her home caught fire shortly before last midnight, following an explosion caused by escaping gas.

The gas became ignited when it came in contact with a lighted coal oil lamp, on the first floor of her home.

Frank Peal, a neighbor, also was burned about the feet while endeavoring to extinguish the flames; after the explosion had attracted him to the scene.

FAULKNER FUNERAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

CINCINNATI — Tributes to James W. Faulkner, political news writer, who died in New York last Saturday, by prominent men, continued to be received today at the home of his brother-in-law, Thomas J. Mulvihill.

The body arrived from New York yesterday, accompanied by Faulkner's sisters, Misses Mary and Martha Faulkner.

Members of the Faulkner family have declined invitations to permit the body to lie in state at the capitol building in Columbus or some other public place but it was announced that friends of the dead writer may view the remains on Tuesday at the home of Mulvihill.

The major portion of St. Xavier's church will be available for the public at the funeral services Wednesday morning at 10 a. m., although a portion will be reserved for the family and out-of-town persons in attendance.

Prisoners Taken by Bandits Used as Barricade When Government Troops Attack Thugs—Three Army Officers And Other Prominent U. S. Citizens Kidnaped

Captives Threatened With Death—Sister-in-Law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Robert Scripps are Among Number of Persons Held

PEKING — (United Press) — Two Americans and one Englishman are reported to have been shot when government troops attacked the bandits holding more than a score of foreigners as hostages after their sensational train wrecking and kidnapping exploit of Sunday.

This latest report from the scene of one of the most daring pieces of outlawry in the history of China, was received by the council from a foreign missionary near the bandit camp.

When the government troops began closing in the bandits are declared to have made a human barricade of their prisoners, placing the foreigners in front of them. The bandits defended themselves with a brisk return rifle fire in response to the attack of the soldiers.

Exposed thus to the fire of the soldiers who were endeavoring to rescue them, two Americans and one Englishman fell. At the time of filing this dispatch, word had not been received as to whether the wounds suffered would prove fatal.

WOMEN RELEASED BY GANG BUT MEN THREATENED WITH DEATH

SHANGHAI — (Associated Press) — One British subject was killed by bandits who held up the Shanghai-Peking Express train near the Shantung border and carried off the 160 passengers yesterday, according to a message from Lucheng, but all the women captives, including Miss Lucy Aldrich, sister-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., have been released. The men still held are said to be in grave danger.

Among the Americans reported held were Robert Scripps, the newspaper publisher, Major Pinger and two other officers of the American army, named Roland and Allen, all three in the Philippine service; four others whose names were given as Healy, Lee, Solomon and Levy.

The message said the bandits had notified the authorities that all the men among the foreign captives would be killed unless troops were withdrawn.

Miss McFadden and Miss Corrali, companion and maid, were released with Miss Aldrich, the report added.

Troops were pressing the bandits on both sides, firing, at last advices.

The kidnaping plot is believed to have originated in Shanghai when it became known that a large party was leaving to attend the coronation of the Kungchapa dyke at Tientsin.

The bandits stopped the train by removing the fish plates from the tracks, causing a derailment, according to reports received in Shanghai. It was said that there were 1,000 bandits in the attacking party.

Miss Aldrich who is the daughter of the late United States Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island, started on a tour of the world last October and had visited several European countries, India, Burma and was planning to sail for home from Japan late in July.

Robert Scripps, newspaper publisher, formerly of San Diego, Calif., but now a resident of Washington, D.C., with his father, E. W. Scripps and Mrs. Robert Scripps, several companions who guided them to a lone spot on the Rio Grande river under guise of aiding the Orient. Word received here indicated that Mrs. Scripps and E. W. Scripps had remained aboard the yacht while Robert left for the interior.

Miss Aldrich is reported ill from her experiences. The Aldrich party, however, reached Shanghai ten days ago. Miss Corrali is secretary to G. D. Musso, a prominent Italian attorney, who was among the captives.

OHIOANS AMONG PRISONERS

TOLEDO — (Associated Press) — Mrs. Negley Cochran, wife of the former editor of the Toledo News-Tribune, received word from headquarters of the Scripps-Howard News-Paper Syndicate today that Cochran and daughter Dorothy are among those held captive by Chinese soldiers in Shantung, China. The communication said that all members of the party of E. W. Scripps who set out early in March for a private yacht, "Chiao," are held by the soldiers who captured the Americans with the purpose of holding them until the Chinese government pays them back wages due them.

The last word Mrs. Cochran received until advised today of the capture of members of the family was received a week ago and said was received a week ago and said arrived in Shanghai.

First reports from the Scripps-Howard syndicate today said that Robert Scripps, son of E. W. Scripps, was the only one held captive. LIST OF AMERICANS — (Associated Press) — A Reuters' despatch from Shanghai says that the following Americans were on the train held up by the Chinese bandits near the Canton border: A. L. Zimmerman, V. Hainovich, L. Friedmann, J. A. Henley, L. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Pinger and two children, J. P. Powell, Major Allen with Mrs. Allen and child; Miss L. T. Aldrich, Miss McFadden, Miss Schonberg, F. A. and E. L. Elias and E. Gensberger.

BOY KIDNAPED IN MEXICO MAY BE FREE

MEXICO CITY — This kidnaped son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partridge, the latter of Dallas, Texas, may be in the United States, reports received here today indicate.

An unconfirmed rumor has it that the boy, dressed in girl's clothing, was taken by train to the American border by a man, Charles Partridge, who was the father, despite an airplane being trained against his arrest, is being detained. He denies any connection with the kidnapping.

GIRL BURNS TO DEATH IN CLEVELAND HOME

CLEVELAND — Stella Zywicki, 7, left alone in the kitchen of her parents' home last night, died from burns suffered when her dress was ignited as she reached across an open gas burner to reach a curling iron which she was using in her hair in "grown up" fashion.

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BRITISH PROGRAM MAY AID U. S.

Possible Ally Seen in Strengthening Singapore Base

EQUAL POWER WITH JAPAN

\$55,000,000 to be Spent in Naval Project

(By J. W. T. MASON)
NEW YORK. (Special)—Great Britain's naval estimates for the forthcoming year include a million dollars to begin reconstruction of the Singapore Naval Base which when finished will greatly change naval strategy in the Pacific Ocean.

Head of the Pacific being a major problem in naval strategy for America and Japan, Great Britain will rank an equal third in control of the ocean.

The British Admiralty intends to spend a total of \$55,000,000 in bringing Singapore harbor up to date for use as a war base of operations. British commitments in the Far East and especially the necessity for protecting Australia and New Zealand and providing a " Gibraltar " naval attack against India from the east are the reasons for this huge expenditure of money.

With the Anglo-Japanese treaty abrogated as the result of the Washington Limitation of Armament conference, the British activity at Singapore cannot be regarded with equanimity by the Japanese government. Without doubt, the new development at Singapore must be considered at Tokyo as a threatening Great Britain against the expansionist plans of Japanese militarists.

NO THREAT AGAINST U. S.
No threat against the United States is visible in strengthening Singapore. Great Britain has no designs against the Philippines, and British foreign policy is directed toward encouraging co-operation with the United States. It is from the standpoint of Japan's expansionist plans that the Singapore base will be primarily considered by all naval strategists. Japanese militarists have not concealed their ambition to secure possession eventually of the Philippines, New Zealand, and Australia. Without a strong British naval station in the Far East, able to provide a refuge for the largest type of super-dreadnaughts and for submarines, Japan's attack on Australia, New Zealand, and Hawaii would be left unprotected, except to a meager extent, against a Japanese battleship attack. Furthermore, the dream of Japanese militarists of getting possession of India might eventually be realized unless there were a British blocking station on the naval high road between Japan and India.

All such ambitious projects by Imperialist-minded Japanese statesmen must now be cast aside. The new Singapore base will permit Great Britain to maintain sufficient powerful naval units in the Far East to hold the most venturesome Japanese naval strategists in check.

MAKES JAPAN IMPOTENT
At the same time, since Great Britain no longer is to be Japan's ally, in the unfortunate event of a Pacific war between the United States and Japan, Great Britain would be in a position to act side by side with America, if the necessity arose, just as America went into the World War with the British and the other allies. Anglo-American co-operation in a Pacific war with the Singapore base modernized, would squeeze Japan so hard as to make the outcome of the war beyond possibility of doubt.

As America does not want war, and as Imperialist ambitions in Japan are confined to a group of militarists, the Singapore project is a strong argument for future peace in the Pacific. For, the Japanese Imperialists can now reason without difficulty that they would be hopelessly out-ranked in any conflict that would range against them the American fleet operating from Hawaii and the British fleet based on Singapore.

JURY COMPLETED IN CASE ATTACKING MURPHY WILL

After exhausting a venire of 45 jurors called to serve in a suit to set aside the will of Dr. John J. Murphy, opposing counsel agreed on 22 men and women Monday noon.

Mrs. Mary M. Edmonds, 619 N. Main-st., is seeking to break the will made by her father, leaving the bulk of his estate, valued at \$20,000 to his wife, Mrs. Mabel Dunn Murphy, Mrs. Julia R. Baughman, of Lafayette, Ind., is also defendant in the action.

Trial of the case commenced in common pleas court Monday. All the morning was consumed in selecting a jury.

The jury which will try the case is composed of seven women and five men. They are: Mrs. Jessie Mullen, Mrs. Zola Wolf, Mrs. Elmer Barth, Mrs. J. P. Bowman, Miss Ethel Davis, Mrs. Noah Augsburger, Jacob Pinner, Mrs. Mamie Arbauer, C. E. Tompkins, Tom Reiko, Thomas Phalen and W. S. Simpson.

POISER FURNAL TUESDAY
Body of Charles H. Poiser, 53, former Lima resident, who died Saturday in Chicago from complications, arrived here early Monday morning and was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Louise Long, 724 Brice-av. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the residence. Interment in Woodlawn.

TRAIN DERMAILED
INDIANAPOLIS—Seven cars of a westbound Pennsylvania railroad passenger train from New York to St. Louis were derailed at Plainfield, Ind., fifteen miles west of here this morning. According to officials of the road here no one was injured. The accident was attributed to a broken switch rod.

ENGINEER KILLED
NEWARK, Ohio — C. M. Dean, 34, Chillicothe, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad engineer, was killed near here today when he leaped too far out his cab window and was struck by a box car on a siding.

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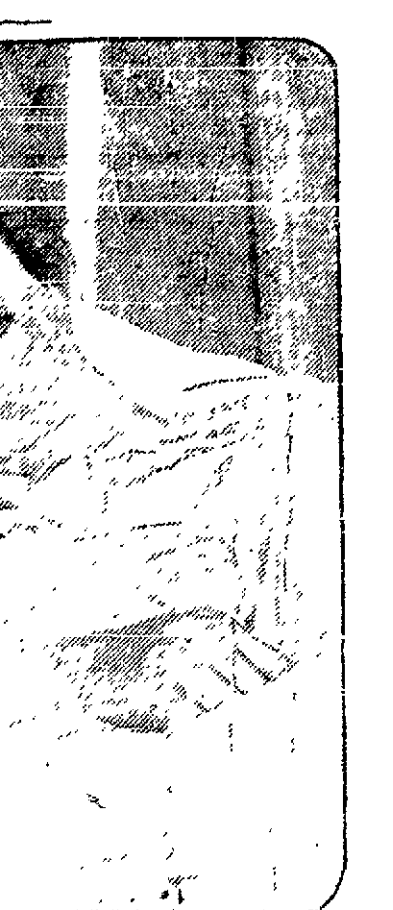
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BRAINY GIRL GETS MOST MONEY

Has Edge on One With Form, Employment Expert Says

SOUGHT IN BUSINESS WORLD

Declared More Important Field Than the Stage

NEW YORK. (United Press).—While New York theatrical men are clamoring for girls with "forms," New York business men are clamoring no less insistently for girls with brains. Plenty of the former are available, but there is a distinct shortage of the latter. J. J. McLaughlin, general manager of the American Employment Exchange, declares.

There is more money for the girl with brains in business than there is for the average show girl, McLaughlin stated. Likewise there is more of a future for the average business girl than there is for the average show girl, he holds.

White collar workers are in great demand now due to the expansion in business, he said. The chief need is for capable young women.

"The thoroughly trained and capable young woman on whom the business world of today is leaning more and more to depend, is not being developed in sufficiently large numbers to keep pace with the demand," McLaughlin said.

"Recent requests for stenographers to fill positions carrying secretarial and executive duties seldom specify, 'We want a young man.' Calls for male stenographers at salaries in excess of \$25 weekly are now only as one to four compared with calls for women workers. The stenographical duties of such workers are only a minor part of the tasks with which they are entrusted. Not infrequently they have at least one and often several assistants. Such positions pay these women from \$30 to \$50 a week and often more.

"We have found no difficulty in meeting the tremendous increase in demand for stenographers in 1923 has brought in the demand for office help, except in the case of the experienced and highly efficient woman, to whom a working knowledge of stenography is only one accomplishment. If more women who are endowed with executive ability and who are willing to devote their time and talents to positions in which the remuneration is limited would take up the study of stenography and secretarial work, and would train themselves accordingly to fill these positions of trust, they are simply clamoring for them, they might greatly better themselves.

"Thus equipped, they should find little trouble in finding situations, where their talents would be better utilized, and where they could command far better pay than they get as saleswomen, head clerks or in like capacities. The pronounced lack of this kind of material at present is serious. It puts a brake on the wheels of the business advance. It costs the busy executive not only much annoyance, but also great waste of time trying out clerical help which either through limitation of education and training or through other personal disqualification, are incapable of rising to the requirements of these higher clerical posts.

"The era of the girl with brains and business training is here, McLaughlin is anxious to succeed in New York no longer need turn her eyes to the girl shows, where shapely ankles and figures count the most, he holds.

"Business beckons to her," McLaughlin said.

LEARNERS GIVE \$200 BOND EACH IN APPEAL OF CASES

Bond of \$200 each filed in common pleas court Monday by Paul and Thresa Lerner, chiropractors was approved by Judge Fred C. Becker. They are under conviction for practicing medicine without a license.

The two were fined \$25 each by Justice W. H. Gayton Saturday, after a motion for new trials was overruled.

They immediately announced their intention of carrying the cases up on error proceedings.

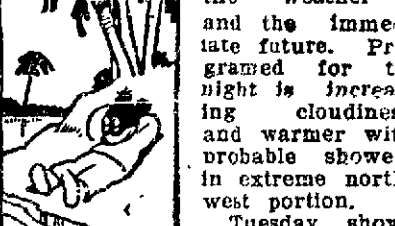
Had the bond not been filed and approved, Justice Gayton could have issued execution and jailed the accused unless they chose to pay the fines.

HOME FROM HOT SPRINGS

J. H. Goeke and Ben Motter arrived home Sunday night from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they had been for several weeks past. They said the temperature here is slightly more chilly than in the southland.

RAIN, WARMER; RAIN, COOLER

Early risers Monday assert there was a slight visitation of frost. However, in this connection, "I tell it as 'twas told to me."



What we're most concerned is the present state of the weather—and the immediate future. Programmed for tonight is increasing cloudiness and warmer with probable showers in extreme north-west portion.

Tuesday showers and cooler in northwest portion.

All this weather howdydo had no effect on Old Sol during the morning Monday. He was on the job early, dissipating the chill wave of Sunday night and bringing new addition to the batting average of the joy of living.

Enjoying the delights of the "row" is the course of the optimistic basked in the sunshine on a hillside Monday, determined to miss nothing of the joys afforded by Old Sol, with a cloudy and rain forecast in the offing.

Warm showers are badly needed for growing things, but it is too late now for anything to bring spring mushrooms in this territory. The "mushroom hound" sighs with regret of a harvestless season.

POLITICIANS KEEP EYE ON MEET

Federation Council Program May Affect Presidential Race

ATLANTA, Ga. — (Special)—A new power in national politics promised to rise from the Biennial Council of the General Federation of Women's Clubs which opened here today and continues thru Friday.

Politicians of both major parties are waiting anxiously for a definition of the federation's attitude during the coming presidential campaign, and the campaigns of the future.

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, national president, will recommend that working rules for the General Federation in its relation to political activities be formulated.

This is by far, from the viewpoint of national affairs, the most important function of the convention.

However, other constructive measures will be discussed, in this, the first executive council of the organization's history.

Among these will be: Establishment of scholarships for young women, to be supported from the income of the \$100,000 Federation War Victory Fund, these to be within the realm of social service, medicine or science.

Creation of the office of director for women's clubs in dependencies of the United States, such as Hawaii, Alaska, Philippines, now listed as "foreign."

Plans to make Washington, D. C. the hub of the world's club life and to increase the scope and usefulness of the work, at the new general headquarters recently established there at a cost of \$150,000.

"THE ARTS" ON PROGRAM
Free discussion of "spiritual forces." Much time will be given to art, music and literature, Americanization and education.

Many persons will speak, prominent in women's circles of the nation. Among them will be, besides Mrs. Winter, Mrs. John D. Sherman of Colorado and Chicago, Mrs. Horace Mann Towner of Iowa and Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Leslie Stringfellow Read, Fayetteville, Ark., and Mrs. Perry V. Penny-backer of Austin, Tex., past president.

DESERTED BY WIFE, IS CHARGED IN DIVORCE SUIT

Home ties were severed three years ago by Mrs. Nellie Standiford, it is alleged in a petition for divorce filed in common pleas court Monday.

MOTHER TO 3 MAY BE DEPORTED

Woman Caring for Children of Brother Illiterate

OFFICIALS SEND WARNING

Refuses to Marry, Hasn't Time to Learn to Read

SAN FRANCISCO. (Special)—Official wheels in Washington, grinding systematically, have sent forth an order which, if congress does not act, will destroy a home here and separate three children from their aunt—the only "mother" they ever have known.

For it has been ruled by the department of immigration that Miss Francesca Guglielmino, native of Catania, Sicily, must return there unless she is married or can read and write before the first of the coming year.

"But how can I learn to read and write so quickly?" asks Miss Guglielmino in her native Italian, while "her children" sail at her skirts, "I am old, 60 I am, and cannot learn as readily as one younger."

"If I study who will care for the children? All day long I am busy with them. I have no time; I cannot neglect the bambinos."

"No, I will not marry. Many have written me, asking I marry them. When I was a girl in Sicily, many asked me to marry. I would not then, nor will I now. I live for the children."

LIVES WITH BROTHER
Miss Guglielmino lives here with her brother, Salvatore Guglielmino, a broker. The children are his. His wife died last May. In the same month his mother, with whom Miss Guglielmino then lived, died in Catania.

Guglielmino cabled for his sister to come. She got as far as Ellis Island. There she was stopped for illiteracy. Friends interested and she was allowed to enter America for six months.

Just before the six-month period expired, the time was extended. But now, the immigration authorities have ruled that she must return the first of the year.

It is toward congress that the Guglielmino look. Friends have told them Congress can pass a special legislation which would nullify the immigration department's ruling. And—

"I do not believe they will make me go from my home and my children," says Miss Guglielmino. "Everywhere this country is known as the great America that is so kind to unhappy people. Why then, should they wish to make us unhappy?"

LIMA PRIESTS CONDUCT MISSION AT TOLEDO

Rev. Joseph Funk and Rev. Francis Dauenhauser, of St. Gerard's church opened a mission at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Toledo, Sunday to continue two weeks.

The first week will be devoted to Catholic and non-Catholic women and the second week the services will be for men. The Lima Redemptorist Fathers have a comprehensive program of lectures to be presented.

WATKINS LOSES BADGE

Officer Dick Watkins is concerned about his badge, lost while making a run between the police station and the courthouse. The badge is No. 20. Dick would appreciate the finder notifying the police station.

GRAIN EXPORTS GROW

WASHINGTON—Exports of grain from the United States during the last week were 4,601,000 bushels, compared to 4,083,000 the week before.

EFFORT MADE TO SECURE BOND FOR SIMMONS, IN JAIL AT BELLEFONTAINE

Dorsey D. Simmons, collector and Allentown justice of the peace, was still behind the bars in Bellefontaine Monday, pending release on bond. Friends who went to his assistance were unable to satisfy the court on the bond, but believe that they will have him out before night.

A motion for a new trial was prepared by counsel for Simmons Monday and will be filed at Bellefontaine Tuesday. It is charged that the jury erred in finding Simmons guilty of embezzling \$92 belonging to a Bellefontaine merchant.

Simmons has another indictment charging a similar offense, standing against him. The case is to be tried soon, it is stated.

DEATH IS BEATEN BY STORK

County Health Reports to Board; Elect New Members

Almost twice as many birth as deaths are recorded in Allen county during the year 1922, according to vital statistics presented to the Allen county board of health by Dr. J. J. Sutter, county health commissioner, in his annual report Monday at 1 p. m.

Births in the county for the year totaled 499. There were but 252 deaths during the same period. Nine more girls than boys were born, with 22 more deaths of males than females. List of births included four pairs of twins. Fifteen births were in families ranging from 13 to 15 children. The infant mortality rate for the year was 54 per 1,000 babies.

The greatest number of deaths occurred at the ages 70-80. Fifty-five are reported in this group. The next greatest mortality rate was in 60-70 age group and included 48 deaths. The age group lowest in mortality statistics was the five to 10 year old group, in which but four deaths were reported.

Pneumonia and heart disease resulted in the greatest number of deaths, with 35 and 38. Apoplexy resulted in 31 and tuberculosis in 29 deaths. Eight deaths were accidental.

Inspection of sanitary conditions were made of 141 buildings and institutions. Visits were made to 76 new patients and 44 to tuberculosis patients. Examination of 1,238 school children was made by the department and 107 throat cultures were given. A total of 7,649 miles was traveled by Mrs. Anna Mae Rechter, public health nurse, in her work.

Action by the board of health last year prevented an epidemic of small pox and kept under control a threatened siege of typhoid fever, it is pointed out. The greatest number of reported communicable diseases were 72 cases of pneumonia. Diphtheria was the next most prevalent disease, with 21 and scarlet fever with 31.

Following the meeting of the board of health, members of the advisory council were scheduled to elect members to the board to fill the vacancy created by the departure of Dr. G. E. Miller, Spencerville, and to elect a successor to Dr. C. B. Hughton, of Bluffton.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

WILLIAMS & DAVIS: G. V. Hardin from B. & O. depot to 833 Fairview-av.; Mrs. John Swartz from St. Rita's hospital to 808 W. Wayne-st.; Mrs. Roy Johns from City hospital to Elida; Ed Hicks from S. West-st. to City hospital.

BOWERSOCK'S: Mrs. Howard Gosard from City hospital to 644 Calhoun-st.

CITY: Mrs. A. C. Reed from 319 E. Second-st. to St. Rita's hospital; Clifford Thomas from Euclid-av. to St. Rita's hospital.

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OTTAWA NEWS

LID CLAMPED ON SLOT MACHINES

Mayor of Ottawa Orders Games of Chance Stopped

Orders by Mayor W. A. Beutler to remove slot machines from business places in Ottawa were obeyed Monday morning by Marshal B. M. Cahill, who made a canvass of all places where they were located. Most of the machines are declared by the marshal to belong to a local agency and will be turned back without financial loss to those who maintained them in their places of business.

Slot machines were mentioned specifically in the mayor's order. Removal of the devices will not cause financial loss, according to Cahill, who said that a majority of those having them little, if anything, is gained by them outside their value as business getters and trade attractions. The most that was hoped for by the majority was to "break even," the marshal was told.

Only statutes governing regulation of the machines was invoked by the mayor in issuing the order.

He said the danger to juveniles as the motive for his action. Boys of high school age with limited means are prone to "play" the devices, allowing them to become as a fever in their young veins, he says. "And they are conducive to other misdeeds," Cahill added.

He said that the removal of the machines will provide themselves with money to spend on the machines.

The mayor's edict is for immediate removal of the devices.

OTTAWA HIGH TEAM TO PLAY LAST GAME TUESDAY

Ottawa high school team will have its last opportunity Tuesday afternoon at the W. Main-st. grounds to finish the season with a 500-point game.

Everything depends on the final game with Leipsic. The team that played on Ottawa by the scant margin of 1 to 3 two weeks ago. The team has won one and lost one of the games with Columbus Grove.

The second game with Leipsic is to be played on Saturday. This date was moved up earlier in the week because the county field met Sunday.

Bob Pembert, who relieved Dunn on the mound with a Columbus Grove team Sunday, will probably be given a chance to show his pitching wares.

OTTAWA MERCHANTS GIVE APPROVAL TO PLANS FOR COMMUNITY ASSEMBLY

Approval of 33 of the 50 Ottawa merchants who are asked to support a plan to hold community gatherings each Wednesday evening during the summer season was secured by Manager Rhodes of the Tawa theatre, who announced Monday he had obtained the number of signatures after an hour and a half of work.

All merchants east of the B. & O. railroad were secured, he announced. He began canvassing the west part of the business district later.

The proposition was endorsed by the Ottawa Kiwanis club, which the unable to give its support financially, is giving its moral support to the utmost.

Each Wednesday evening, beginning May 23 or a week later, community motion pictures and band concerts will be given near the courthouse. Everybody in the county is invited to attend.

The motion picture will be projected under supervision of Rhodes. His original plan was to show the films on a screen set up on the courthouse lawn, but this may be changed, it was announced.

ACCOUNTING SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED AT OTTAWA BY FARM BUREAU HEADS

Installation of a uniform accounting system will be made at Putnam farm bureau headquarters, according to announcement Monday by J. W. Henceroth, agricultural agent.

The proposition was voted on favorably at a meeting of the farm bureau executive committee Saturday night.

The system will embrace every feature of farm bureau work having to do with receipts. It makes errors impossible and facilitates details, Henceroth said. An expert accountant under B. B. Mason, state farm bureau auditor, will install the system.

These systems have been installed by livestock shipping companies at Leipsic and Vaughnsville and will soon be put in force by the Ottawa county.

TONSIL, ADENOID CLINIC IS PLANNED FOR OTTAWA

A clinic for tonsil and adenoid cases will be opened Friday at health headquarters in the courthouse in Ottawa, it was announced Monday by county health authorities.

Application for treatment has been received from six patients, the maximum number that can be handled at one time. Surgeons who will perform the work have not yet been announced.

ROWLANDS COMPANY GETS PROPERTY IN COLUMBUS

Lease for 99 years on the old Sessions block, southeast corner of High and Long-sts., Columbus, has been obtained from Leo Marks of New York by the C. H. and A. D. Rowlands Realty Co. The Rowlands operate the Rowlands Co. furniture store in Lima.

The property has a frontage on High-st. of 62.5 feet and a depth of 67.5 feet on Long-st. The consideration was said to be \$800,000. The old building will be razed immediately, the new owners said, and a modern store and office building will be erected in its place. Four large storerooms will occupy the large store.

CHECK FORGERS ARE TRAILED

Worthless Paper, Representing Million, Sent Stock Exchange

NEW YORK—(Associated Press)—Postoffice inspectors this afternoon went on the trail of a band of check forgers who sent out over the week-end nearly 100 checks, aggregating more than a million dollars, accompanied by letters to stock brokers in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, ordering large purchases of stock.

The New York Stock Exchange, in announcing the matter had been turned over to the government by the Better Business Bureau, disclosed that at least seventy checks, averaging \$15,000 each, had been received by New York houses alone. Nearly thirty were sent to houses in Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago. The letters were mailed from widely separated spots in Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts and one Chicago house reported it had received one posted in Kansas City.

Wall Street brokers, declaring the perpetrators of the hoax obviously could not have expected to gain possession of the stocks ordered, since the orders were placed in the names of various reputable business houses, attributed the scheme to unscrupulous traders, with a desire to "rig" the market.

Opinion differed as to which side of the market was responsible. It was pointed out that it produced conditions favoring first one side and then the other. Stocks rose sharply at the outset, giving operators who might have been induced to cash in on sales in anticipation of a crash. Then the break came, pushing almost the entire list to new low levels, and giving operators on that side an opportunity for a clean-up.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Floyd Cain, 21, colored, laborer, 231 E. Central-av., and Anna Belle Stanley, colored, 18, 1029 W. Spring-st.

William Nease, 25, mechanic's helper, McCullough-st., and Mae Belle Herring, 19, clerk, 625 N. Jefferson-st.

Elva Warren Kimble, 23, molder, 223 E. Vine-st., and Mary Mandy Nichols 19, stripper, 455 N. Pierce-st.

CARS IN COLLISION

An automobile driven by Harry Baker, 30, Baker-st., struck another car in charge of Gerald Neslik, 30, Baker-st., Sunday afternoon, causing a collision. According to a report by police headquarters, none was injured.

REDUCTION OF INSURANCE PREMIUM COST SEEN HERE

Assurance that the possibility of a 12 per cent reduction in rates for life insurance will be installed by the Ohio Insurance Co. was given Monday in a speech by H. B. Sellers, head of the Bureau of City Manager C. A. Bunch.

H. B. B. Bunch, inspector for the National Life Insurance Co., said that the reduction in rates in the Ohio Insurance Co. was being made, to the extent of \$25,000 yearly, would be expected when the jobs are completed.

WISHER ESCAPES PRISON TERM

Boy Blackhand to Live With Aunt in Indiana

HIS AIR CASTLES CRUMBLE

Sentence to Mansfield Reformatory is Suspended

Virgil Wisner, 16, farm boy, whose attempt to extort \$1,000 from Mrs. Edna Neely Rogers, 427 S. Woodlawn-av., was foiled by police, left Lima for a long time Monday.

The youth was given an opportunity by Judge J. H. Hamilton to start life amid new surroundings. He will live with an aunt at Indianapolis.

Judge Hamilton received a score or more of letters from various persons, requesting him to give the boy a chance.

Only one person who communicated with the judge wanted to see the boy get the limit. Judge Hamilton talked with Virgil for a long time before making up his mind in the case.

He finally determined to sentence him to Mansfield reformatory, and then suspended the sentence to give the lad another chance in a new environment.

"Virgil is a bright boy," said Judge Hamilton. "Under changed conditions he will go straight. I am sure. He is very repentant and for years to come will be reminded of the affair every time he steps on his walled foot."

AIR CASTLES CRUMBLED

Air castles built by the boy have crumbled to dust. He sought to extort the money to get an education.

Virgil in a hunched frame of mind Judge Hamilton believes.

"I'll never go wrong again," he told the judge.

"Why did you do this, Virgil?" asked the court. "Didn't you figure Mrs. Neely would tell the police?"

"Yes, but I didn't think they could get me."

Mrs. Rogers was selected as the intended victim of the boy's plot, rather than someone else, Virgil said because he had heard she was wealthy.

"I figured I could scare her," declared the boy. "Now I wish I hadn't tried."

Judge Hamilton declared he was satisfied the boy played a lone hand in the attempt and had no connection with any organized gang.

Virgil has almost recovered from wounds inflicted by police when he was trapped at the door of the Rogers home and was shot when he turned and ran.

GIRL CALLS KING BEN NICE MAN

Colony Ruler's Word Law, Witness Tells Probers

ST. JOSEPH, Mich.—(U. P.)—"The king can do no wrong," was the attitude of members of the House of David toward their leader, "King" Benjamin Funnell, witnesses today told investigators of the cult.

Testifying before Judge Harry Dingeman, conducting a grand jury probe of the House of David, Pearl Flake, 14, said the "king's" word was law and that no one ever doubted or questioned his rulings.

"He was a nice man," the girl said. Since being brought here from Chicago where she was taken into custody while accompanied by her mother, the girl has been kept secluded. Officials who brought the two to St. Joseph said the mother attempted to whisper to the daughter.

"Now stand by Benjamin."

The mother and daughter fled from the colony.

PAVING LEGISLATION TO BE CONSIDERED TONIGHT

Paving ordinances and resolutions will occupy attention of the city commission at the meeting Monday evening. House moving and firearms ordinances are due for a second reading. Both may be enacted Monday.

A resolution transferring \$1,000 from depository interest to the department of public works is to be adopted.

Report of the city auditor for the month of March will show that department balances at the end of the month were as follows:

Water works, \$11,276; public works, \$192; safety, \$28; health, \$29; general government, \$1,853.

Ordinances and resolutions on street paving for 1923 will be passed for the last time Monday evening. Petitions were accepted up to noon Monday.

SPENCER, MONROE FARM BUREAU PLANNED

Members of the Spencer-Farm Bureau will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the K. of P. hall in Spencer for a discussion of club work for boys and girls of the township.

The same evening members of Monroe-Farm Bureau will meet at the Rockport Presbyterian church, for a similar discussion.

MOTOR IS STOLEN

An electric motor valued at \$45 was stolen from the Coen Cola works on S. Union-st., according to Ira J. Robbins, 628 N. Jamison-av., who reported the theft to police Sunday. He left the motor at the plant last week and it was missing when he went after it Sunday, he said.

DELPHOS NEWS

47 ARE INITIATED AT DELPHOS

Three councils contributed to a class of 47 candidates initiated Sunday by the Knights of Columbus amid impressive ceremonies at Delphos. Twenty-six of the new members were supplied by Delphos, 16 by Ottoville and five by Ottawa.

Degree work was completed in the afternoon. The second degree was conferred by Delphos council, assisted by John C. Delphos, grand knight of Springfield, P. J. Kirwin and staff of London exemplified the third.

High mass was solemnized in St. John's Catholic church at 10 a. m. for the Knights, who attended in a body. J. W. Frederick Rupert, pastor, preached an eloquent sermon, extending a welcome to the visiting members of the order. The church was specially decorated for the occasion.

Covers were laid for 40 at the banquet given in the evening at St. John's auditorium. The big hall was filled to overflowing.

An address of welcome was delivered by Father Rupert. P. J. Kirwin, of London; Rev. George Leitz, Delphos, and Byron Hayes, Ft. Wayne, gave addresses. A. J. Laudek acted as toastmaster and Rev. A. J. Bishop gave the invocation.

The Delphos K. of C. quartet, composed of Raymond McKowen, Joseph Mach, Sylvester Grothaus and Rudolph Snyder, sang many songs and answered to a song encore. Much sang two tenor solos. The committee in charge of the event, which attracted many members from Lima, Delphos, Vapakometa, St. Marys and other councils, was composed of J. L. Wessinger, Dr. P. C. Maurer, Mark J. Jumper, O. H. Vonderhulst, Jettinhoff, B. H. Wenker, Rudolph Ed King, Anthony Wapnecke, Carl Mowter, A. C. Weger, Dr. F. A. Long, Dr. P. A. Young, A. J. Landemann, George Rode, Thomas Gengler, William Lehmkuhler, Fred Geise, Arnold Schmeidler, Otto Kavernan, A. J. Laudek and L. C. Laudek.

FOSTORIA MINISTER IN DELPHOS KIWANIS TALK

Rev. C. E. Ciesler, of Fostoria, was the principal speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Delphos Kiwanis club at the Beckman hotel Monday.

Carl Dienstberger Jr., director of Fostoria's orchestra, Detroit, gave several violin solos, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Rose Fast. He played several of his own compositions.

BENJAMIN FUNNELL

Body of Charles Funnell, 19, who died Saturday at Toledo hospital, will arrive in Delphos at 10 a. m. Tuesday. The body will be taken to the Baxter & Hartner mortuary, where services will be held at 1:30 p. m. Rev. Arthur Valentine officiating. Interment will be in the Middlepoint cemetery.

COSTS REDUCED IN CASE OF MORPHIS VS. TRUBEY

Reduction in the cost bill in the case of Sadie Morphis, Toledo, against R. R. Trubey, was ordered by Judge H. W. Blachly, in common pleas court Monday, in deciding a motion filed by Trubey, declaring that they were too high.

Judge Blachly ordered the costs reduced from \$421.40 to \$337.85. Witness fees and sheriff's fees in the case were pronounced too high by the court.

John T. Cotner, clerk of the courts, said the error in making up the costs, was due to allowing witnesses from Toledo mileage outside the county and also crediting the sheriff with mileage to Toledo for serving papers on witnesses.

Mrs. Morphis sued Trubey for \$500 deposited with him as a surety, she alleged. A jury, after allowing Trubey attorney fee from the money, directed that the remainder be returned.

CAUSE OF CANCER MAY BE ON VERGE OF DISCOVERY

LONDON—The cause of cancer, one of the most baffling problems confronting the scientific world, may be on the verge of discovery, British medical men declared today, following announcement that Dr. A. H. Drew, of the Imperial Cancer Research Foundation had succeeded with the aid of a salt solution, in cultivating and growing cancerous tumors.

The success of Dr. Drew is regarded as of extreme importance. Scientists now propose to work backward and find the cause of the growth.

CLOTHING CLERK DIES FROM COMPLICATIONS

Caldwell B. Beattie, 38, clothing clerk here for two decades, died Monday at his home, 419 E. W. Elm-st., of complications. He was born in Canada.

Beattie was survived by his widow and three sons, Caldwell A., Fredrick S. and William E., all of Lima; two daughters, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Lima; Mrs. Ed Snyder, Bellefontaine, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday 2 p. m. from the residence. Burial in Woodlawn cemetery.

BRACKMAN KILLED

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.—Off his way to find his hat, Daniel K. Brackman, 24, Norfolk and Western freight brakeman was not seen again until the crew of a train following picked up his mangled body. He died in a hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio, this morning.

DELPHOS SOCIETY

Regular business meeting of Court Delphos, Catholic Daughters of America will take place Tuesday evening in the Knights of Columbus hall, E. Third-st.

Arrangements will be made at this meeting for the next social that will be held May 22. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Pythian Sisters will hold their meeting Tuesday evening in the Knights of Pythias hall, E. Second-st. This will be the regular business meeting of the month.

Hospitality of the Bert Detmer home, S. Clay-st., will be offered the members of the J. T. club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Detmer, the hostess is planning a delightful time for the members.

Thursday evening the Stitches-a-wee club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Albert Mox, S. Pierce-st.

Delightful afternoon is being planned for the members of the 1914 card club when they will be entertained by Mrs. Frank Kall, at her home on N. Scott-st.

Pastime League club will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rathburn, N. Canal-st., Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Genter spent Saturday afternoon in Van Wert.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards were Lima visitors Sunday evening.

DELPHOS LEGION TEAM DEFEATS SPENCERVILLE

Delphos American Legion baseball team defeated the Spencerville team Sunday afternoon at the S. Clay-st. grounds, Delphos, by a score of 8 to 3.

Good pitching on the part of Tilton held the opponents down to five hits. Tilton, playing right field in place of Wood, eluded out a home run. The ball hit the left field fence, the longest hit ever made on the local grounds.

This was the second game of the season, the local team being defeated in the first game with Celina.

MRS. DAVIS OBITUARY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary J. Davis, 79, who died Friday at her home, 419 W. Second-st., were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the residence. Rev. O. H. Hartler, pastor of the Olivet Presbyterian church, Lima, officiated. Interment was in the West Side cemetery. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis.

EXAMS AT DELPHOS

Examinations will start in the Delphos high school, Thursday, according to Superintendent J. H. Hickey. They will continue until Thursday of next week.

NURSE GRADUATES

Commencement exercises for seven graduates of the City hospital will be held in Trinity M. E. church at 8 p. m. in the evening of May 16. Dr. J. R. Tilton will deliver the commencement address.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday at 10:30 a. m. at the First Congregational church. Rev. Arthur P. Lindbeck, pastor, will deliver the sermon.

Members of the Women's board of the hospital will hold a reception for invited guests at the church parlors after commencement exercises.

Members of this year's graduating class are: Miss Naomi Copp, Miss Lucille Seles, Miss Ruth Watt, Miss Marion E. Mark, Miss Hazel R. McCune and Miss L. Mando Houtz.

MYERS BOND FORFEITED; CASE MAY BE REOPENED

Bond of \$1,000 for F. J. Myers, 51, of 108 E. Spring-st., who was arrested Saturday night, charged with possession of illicit liquor, was forfeited Monday morning in criminal court.

After court had been adjourned and Judge Jackson had left his office, an attorney entered appearance for Myers. He will return Tuesday and ask that the case be reconsidered.

FOUR FINED, FOUR OTHERS HAVE CASES CONTINUED

Four persons were fined \$15 in criminal court Monday when they admitted being intoxicated. Four similar cases were held open to give the defendants a chance to talk to their attorney and one man charged with driving while intoxicated pleaded not guilty.

Those fined by Judge Jackson were C. C. Judy, 31, of 728 S. Union-st.; G. W. Smith, 38, of 327 E. 2 S. Main-st.; L. W. Miller, 38, of 131 W. Spring-st.; W. E. Landfair, 42, of 123 S. Scott-st.

Glen Peters, 19, of 714 E. 2 S. Union-st., who was taken into custody with Judy, was released after a charge of disorderly conduct had been filed against him. He was not intoxicated, but according to police was disorderly.

Vilfredo, 26, of Spencer-ville, who police said was driving an automobile while intoxicated, in which Judy and Peters were riding, pleaded not guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated and bond was set at \$100.

Frank Yuskis, 32, of 1565 S. Main-st.; Frank Klaves, 40, of 1309 S. Main-st.; John Barkus, 38, of 114 W. Fourth-st.; John Bakutas, 32, of 118 W. Fourth-st., arrested by Sheriff Crosson, were given time to consult their attorney.

DR. MURPHY WILL BE ATTACKED

Suit of Daughter Against Step-Mother Opened Monday

Trial of an action to set aside the will of the late Dr. John J. Murphy, instituted by Mrs. Mary Murphy Edmunds, 519 N. Main-st., against Mrs. Julia R. Baughman, Latayette, Ind., and Mrs. Abel J. Murphy, 619 N. Main-st., commenced before Judge Fred C. Becker in common pleas court Monday.

The plaintiff, a daughter of the deceased, charges that this will filed in probate court by Mrs. Abel Murphy, widow, making her sole legatee, is not the true document.

She seeks to have the instrument set aside and the estate divided according to law. Mrs. Baughman is also a daughter of the deceased.

A venue of the action, reported in court Monday, the jury panel will be selected from the number. Seventy-eight witnesses were subpoenaed to testify in the case. Of this number 53 are for the plaintiff and 25 for the defendants.

None of the witnesses are to appear in court until Tuesday. Attorneys anticipate that Monday will be consumed in selecting a jury.

The venue called contains 15 men and an equal number of women.

Dr. John J. Murphy died April 12, 1922. A paper purporting to be his last will and testament was produced on April 17. It is alleged to have been executed March 3, 1914.

HEARING REFUSED

Supreme Court Declines to Review Liquor Case

WASHINGTON—(Associated Press)—An effort to have the supreme court pass on the right of search and seizure in prohibition cases without a search warrant failed today when the court declined to review a case brought by Tony and Mary Pandolfi of Los Angeles. They had been arrested and convicted in a prohibition case despite their protest that their premises were unlawfully entered to obtain evidence.

Review was denied in a number of similar cases also.

RICHLAND-TP PUPILS TO GRADUATE WEDNESDAY

Graduates of eighth grade schools of Richland-tp will hold commencement exercises Wednesday evening at 8 at the Bluffton high school auditorium.

Rev. J. Norman King will address the common school graduates and members will give a program consisting of readings, essays and music.

Thirty-four graduates represent Owens, Gray, Hallsville, Diller, Stager and Bucher.

HUNTSVILLE WOMAN DIES AT DAUGHTER'S HOME HERE

Mrs. Sara E. McCord, 76, of Huntsville, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lydia Wynn, 1704 W. H. St., where she has been ill since Easter Sunday. She was born in Toledo, February 22, 1847.

Surviving besides the daughter at whose home she died are three other children, Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, Chicago; Mrs. E. W. Hogan, Clinton, Mich.; Mrs. C. H. Campbell, Denver.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

FIGHT OVER RAILS IS PLANNED

Three Cornered Political Battle is Forecast

HARDING SEEKS MERGER

LaFollette for Government Control—Democrats for Compromise

WASHINGTON—(United Press)—Three sets of plans for letting the country's transportation problem will be urged on the country in a political battle over railroads, which may dwarf all other issues in the 1924 campaign.

President Harding and his administration will have one plan—a far-reaching program based upon consolidation of existing lines into a series of great systems. Senator LaFollette and his bi-partisan progressive bloc in congress will have another, based upon separating all the water out of railroad valuation and a sort of half-way government control.

The Democrats—or at least the McAdoo group—will have a third, which probably will represent a compromise between the extremes of government ownership or control and a non-competitive consolidation plan.

LA FOLLETTE FOR GOVERNMENT CONTROL—Democrats for Compromise

All plans recognize in the railroad question the lives of the issues confronting them. Farmers, manufacturers, consumers are all stirred up about high rates and threatened failure of this

BRITISH PROGRAM MAY AID U. S.

Possible Ally Seen in Strengthening Singapore Base

EQUAL POWER WITH JAPAN

\$55,000,000 to be Spent in Naval Project

(By J. W. T. MASON)
NEW YORK — (Special) — Great Britain's naval estimates for the forthcoming year include a million dollars to begin reconstruction of the Singapore Naval Base which when finished will entirely change naval strategy in the Pacific Ocean. Instead of the Pacific being a major problem in naval affairs solely for America and Japan, Great Britain will rank an equal third in control of the ocean.

The British Admiralty intends to spend a total of \$55,000,000 in bringing Singapore harbor up to date for use as a war base of operations. British commentators say the Far East and especially the necessity for protecting Australia and New Zealand and providing a new "GI-baiter" to prevent any naval attack against India from the east are the reasons for this huge expenditure of money.

With the Anglo-Japanese treaty abrogated as the result of the Washington Conference, the British activity at Singapore cannot be regarded with equanimity by the Japanese government. Without doubt, the new development at Singapore must be considered at Tokyo as a threatening Great Britain against the expansionist plans of Japanese militarists.

NO THREAT AGAINST U. S.

No threat against the United States is visible in the coming Singapore. Great Britain has no designs against the Philippines, and British foreign policy is directed toward encouraging co-operation with the United States. It is from the standpoint of Japan's expansionist plans that the Singapore base will be primarily considered by all naval strategists. Japanese militarists have not concealed their ambition to secure possession eventually of the Philippines, New Zealand, and Australia. Without a strong British naval station in the Far East, able to provide a refuge for the largest type of superdreadnoughts and for submarines and aircraft, Australia and New Zealand would be left unprotected, except to a meagre extent, against a Japanese naval attack. Furthermore, the dream of Japanese militarists of getting possession of India might eventually be realized unless there were a British blocking station on the naval high road between Japan and India.

All such ambitious projects by imperialistically minded Japanese statesmen must now be cast aside. The new Singapore base will permit Great Britain to maintain sufficiently powerful naval units in the Far East to hold the most venturesome Japanese naval strategists in check.

MAKES JAPAN IMPOTENT

At the same time, since Great Britain no longer is to be Japan's ally, in the unfortunate event of a Pacific war between the United States and Japan, Great Britain would be in a position to act side by side with America, if the necessity arose, just as America went into the World War with the British and the other allies. Anglo-American co-operation in a Pacific war with the Singapore base modernized, would squeeze Japan so hard as to make the outcome of the war beyond possibility of doubt.

As America doesn't want war, and as imperialists in Japan are confined to a game of militarists, the Singapore project is a strong argument for future peace in the Pacific. For, the Japanese imperialists can now reason without difficulty that they would be hopelessly out-ranked in any conflict that would range against them the American fleet operating from Hawaii and the British fleet based on Singapore.

JURY COMPLETED IN CASE ATTACKING MURPHY WILL

After exhausting a venire of 45 jurors called to serve in a suit to set aside the will of Dr. John J. Murphy, opposing counsel agreed on 12 men and women Monday noon.

Mrs. Mary M. Edmunds, 619 N. Main-st., is seeking to break the will made by her father, leaving the bulk of his estate, valued at \$20,000 to his wife, Mrs. Mabel Dunn Murphy. Mrs. Julia R. Baughman, of Lafayette, Indiana, is also defendant in the action.

Trial of the case commenced in common pleas court Monday. All the morning was consumed in selecting a jury.

The jury which will try the case is composed of seven women and five men. They are: Mrs. Jessie Mullen, Mrs. Zola Wolf, Mrs. Elmer Barth, Mrs. J. P. Bowman, Miss Ethel Bays, Mrs. Noah Augsburg, Jacob Piper, Mrs. Mamie Arbaugh, C. E. Tompkins, Tom Pote, Thomas Phalen and W. S. Simpson.

POLICE FUNERAL TUESDAY
Body of Charles H. Polser, 53, former Lima resident, who died Saturday in Chicago from complications, arrived here early Monday morning and was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Louise Long, 724 Brice-av. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m., at the residence. Interment in Woodlawn.

TRAIN DERAILLED
INDIANAPOLIS—Seven cars of a westbound Pennsylvania railroad passenger train from New York to St. Louis were derailed at Plainfield, Ind., fifteen miles west of here this morning. According to officials, a road bed was injured, and an accident was attributed to a switch rod.

ENGINEER KILLED
ARK. Olio — C. M. Dean, 40, engineer, was killed Monday morning when he leaped too far from a window and was struck by a car on a siding.

HER FOURTH CAESARIAN CHILD



Mrs. Margaret O'Grady, New York City, with her fourth Caesarian child. Physicians say this is the first instance in which more than three children of one woman have thus been brought into the world.

Is Barber Trade Passing Into Discard As An Art?

Few Apprentices in Business That Was Once Attractive to Young Men

"Wednesday, 3:45, appointment with Barber Roe."

The above excerpt is from the calendar of a Lima business man in 1930, if prediction of local barbers, relative to the tonsorial profession, comes true. The prophecy that with in 25 or 30 years persons with hair to be removed will be making appointments just as today, those with teeth to be removed make appointments with a dentist.

The barber shop, they say, is passing out. No apprentices are taking the places of the veterans who retire. Barber colleges are failing for lack of students. The time will come, they say, when the barber will open up an office, hang out a shingle and maybe even write prescriptions.

In the old days a knowledge of the barber business was in the shop. The ambitious youth began by mixing hair. When he became bored at that he was allowed to apply the lather, then shave the backs of patrons' necks and so on around until eventually he was given a chair, a razor and a chance at facies.

Similar scarcity of barber timber (excluding poles) is reported in other cities of the state. A survey made in Toledo disclosed the fact that there was not a single apprentice in the city. Some day citizens will either be making appointments with barbers or administering mutual first aid to one another with the shears. It is predicted.

"The profession of barbering is passing out," Charles Stromquist, secretary of the local union, declared Thursday. "No young fellows are stepping up to take the place of the gray haired barbers you see in the shops nowadays. It means a radical change in methods for the future," he said.

DELEGATES TO ST. LOUIS CHOSEN BY ROTARY CLUB; NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED

Fred Dorries, T. P. Pearson and Ralph W. Austin were elected delegates to the St. Louis June convention of Rotary clubs at the weekly luncheon Monday at Norval hotel.

Alternates chosen were Max Alschul, Henry Deisel and Peter Huk. Officers elected last Monday were installed. Roy Barnhart, new president, was unable to be present on account of illness. Tom Schonover, first vice president, took charge of the meeting.

Other officers installed were T. P. Pearson, second vice-president and R. W. Austin, who was re-elected secretary-treasurer. New directors are E. M. Gordon, Charles E. Stelzenbach, Fred C. Dorries, H. C. Sterling and Dr. J. M. Tillotson.

A tradition of Rotarians from Oakland, California, enroute to the Shrine convention at Washington, will pass thru Lima June 2, according to a letter read at the luncheon by Ralph Austin. The local Rotary club will meet the train enroute for a Rotary parade and breakfast.

Miss Lillian Johnson and Miss Florence Armstrong presented a musical entertainment.

INSPECTION COMPLETED
George L. Gableman, state examiner, has completed his audit of city books and gone to Springfield for a similar audit. His report was sent the State Auditor Joseph T. Turner. It will be made public in about three weeks.

FIRE IN ROOF
A hole was burned in the roof of John Van Holtz home, Vayne and Union-st., by fire Monday afternoon. Sparks from the chimney are believed to have caused the blaze.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING
Members of the Brotherhood class of the First Baptist church will attend a banquet Monday evening in the social room of the church at 6:30 p. m. Rev. Carlton Miller, of Columbus, Indiana, will be the principal speaker of the evening. His subject will be "Have a Heart."

TRAFFIC FINES
J. B. Butler, 835 E. Market-st., and Mrs. Charles Smith, 816 Atlantic-av. were each fined \$1 for violating the traffic laws, when they appeared in criminal court Monday.

WELFARE COUNCIL DINNER
A dinner meeting of the Catholic Welfare council is announced by J. B. Dugan for Tuesday evening, at St. John's school hall, S. Main-st. Heads of several civic clubs of the city have been invited to be present.

TAX LAW HOLDS

Supreme Court Passes on Case Appealed from Minnesota

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press)—Minnesota's occupation tax on the valuation of iron ores mined or produced in that state was declared constitutional and valid today by the supreme court.

Thirty-seven companies comprising nearly all of those engaged in mining iron ore in Minnesota had attacked the validity of the law in seven cases and had obtained from the federal district court of Minnesota an order suspending its enforcement.

The suits were based on an assertion that the state, in the guise of taxing was seeking to exact annually many millions of dollars in a way which was obnoxious to both the Minnesota constitution and the federal constitution and which deprived the companies of equal protection under the law.

OFFICER MISSING

Lorain-co Recorder Mysteriously Disappears from Office

ELYRIA, Ohio — (Associated Press)—Search is being made here today for Frank Irish, Lorain-co recorder, whose absence from his office since last Wednesday has not been explained.

Officials and others have been looking for Irish since his disappearance have found no trace of him.

Speed Studies Same As Auto, Student Told

Bart Swindler, student at Ohio Northern university, was advised to speed up in getting his lessons in speed of his automobile, by Judge Jackson of the criminal court Monday.

Swindler was ordered to appear in court Monday, but Judge Jackson received the following telegram from him, sent from Ada:

"I was arrested last night for speeding but it will be impossible for me to be there at 9 a. m. I am in the hospital, Room 30, and I was hurrying to get there before 8 o'clock, closing time."

The judge sent back the following answer:

"No school on Sunday. If you want to see your mother why not start earlier. Be as speedy in getting your lessons and diploma as you are in your automobile. Case dismissed."

HEROINE!

Girl Is Small, But Saves Grown-Up from Drowning

AUBURN, N. Y. — (Special) — A bronze medal awarded by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission proves that nine-year-old Katherine Ernberger is a heroine.

Katherine is little, but she was big enough to save a grown-up from drowning.

She did it when she dived off the dock at Owaseo Lake last Labor Day and saved the life of Mrs. Louise Westlake, 31, of Auburn. She saw the woman go down and she swam out to her, went under water and brought her up, and towed her ashore.

Katherine learned to swim with the Girl Scouts when she was eight, but she isn't an expert swimmer. But she had learned something about life saving and about first aid to the drowning.

"The first thing I thought of," said Katherine, "was the motto we learned: 'Keep cool in danger.' Mrs. Westlake was unconscious when I grabbed her, and she was pretty heavy. But it wasn't so hard towing her to shore."

Little Miss Ernberger is the youngest of 16 persons whose acts of heroism were recognized in the Carnegie Hero Commission's latest report.

BRAINY GIRL GETS MOST MONEY

Has Edge on One With Form, Employment Expert Says

SOUGHT IN BUSINESS WORLD

Declared More Important Field Than the Stage

NEW YORK. — (United Press). — While New York theatrical men are clamoring for girls with "forms," New York business men are clamoring no less insistently for girls with brains. Plenty of the former are available, but there is a distinct shortage of the latter. J. J. McLaughlin, general manager of the American Employment Exchange, declares.

There is more money for the girl with brains in business than there is for the average show girl, McLaughlin stated. Likewise there is more of a future for the average business girl than there is for the average show girl, he holds.

White collar workers are in great demand now due to the expansion in business, he said. The chief need is for capable young women. "The thoroughly trained and capable young women on whom the business world of today is leaning more and more to depend, is not being developed in sufficiently large numbers to keep pace with the demand," McLaughlin said.

"Recent requests for stenographers to fill positions carrying secretarial and executive duties seldom specify, 'We want a young man.' Calls for male stenographers at salaries in excess of \$25 weekly are now only as one to four compared with the demand for women workers. The stenographical duties of such workers are only a minor part of the tasks with which they are entrusted. Not infrequently they enter upon positions where they have at least one and often several assistants. Such positions pay these women from \$30 to \$50 a week and often more.

"We have found no difficulty in meeting the tremendous increase 1923 has brought in the demand for office help, except in the case of the stenographer and secretarial work, and women, to whom a working knowledge of stenography is only one accomplishment. It more women who are endowed with executive ability and who now are devoting their time and talents to positions in which the remuneration is limited would take up the study of stenography and secretarial work and would train themselves accordingly to fill these positions of trust, they are simply clamoring for them, they might greatly better themselves.

"Thus equipped, they should find little trouble in finding situations, where their talents would be better utilized, and where they could command far better pay than they get as saleswomen, head clerks or in like capacities. The pronounced lack of this kind of material at present is serious. It puts a brake on the wheels of the business advance. It costs the busy executive not only much annoyance but also great waste of time trying out clerical help which either through limitation of education and training or through other personal disqualification, are incapable of rising to the requirements of these higher clerical posts."

The era of the girl with brains and business training is here, McLaughlin is confident to succeed in New York no longer need turn her eyes to the girl shows, where shapely ankles and figures count the most.

"Business beckons to her," McLaughlin said.

LEARNERS GIVE \$200 BOND EACH IN APPEAL OF CASES

Bond of \$200 each filed in common pleas court Monday by Paul and Theresa Lerner, chiropractors was approved by Judge Fred C. Becker. They are under conviction for practicing medicine without a license.

The two were fined \$25 each by Justice W. H. Guyton. Saturday, after a motion for new trials was overruled.

They immediately announced their intention of carrying the cases up on error proceedings.

Had the bond not been filed and approved, Justice Guyton could have issued execution and jailed the accused unless they chose to pay the fines.

HOME FROM HOT SPRINGS

J. H. Goeke and Ben Motter arrived home Sunday night from Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they had been for several weeks past. They find the temperature here slightly more chilly than in the southland.

PETERMAN FUNERAL
Body of L. H. Peterman, 68, who died Saturday afternoon following a stroke of apoplexy suffered while driving an automobile on E. High-st., was removed to the home of his sister, Mrs. Sam Welby in Bluffton, Sunday afternoon. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the Memorial church. Burial in Bluffton.

SAFE BLOWN
MARION, Ohio — Eggs early today blew the Columbus, Delaware and Marion Traction Company's safe at Prospect and escaped with \$41.

HOME DECORATING HINTS

Marmolac makes marred or shabby furniture and woodwork look like new. Hoosier Paint Store, 115 N. Elizabeth St.

Use News Want Ads for Results

Get Interest From May 1st

We invite you to deposit your funds in a savings account—no matter how small or large the amount. Deposit on or before May tenth and we will allow interest from May first.

THE ALLEN COUNTRY SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY

Savings Building, Market at Elizabeth Street, Lima, Ohio

5% INTEREST

5% AND SAFETY

RAIN, WARMER; RAIN, COOLER

Early risers Monday assert there was a slight visitation of frost. However, in this connection, it is said that the truth may be: "It is as 'twas told to me."

What we're most concerned in the present state of the weather — and the immediate future. Programmed for tonight is increasing cloudiness and warmer with probable showers in extreme north-west portion.

Tuesday showers and cooler in north-west portion.

All this weather how'do had an effect on Old Sol during the morning Monday. He was on the job early, dissipating the chill wave of Sunday night and bringing new addition to the batting average of the joy of living.

Enjoying the delights of the "now" is the course of the optimist. Ted basked in the sunshine on a hillside Monday, determined to miss nothing of the joys afforded by Old Sol with a cloudy and rain forecast in the offing.

Warm showers are badly needed for growing things, but it is too late now for anything, to bring sprouts mushrooming in this territory. The "mushroom bound" sighs with regret of a harvestless season.

POLITICIANS KEEP EYE ON MEET

Federation Council Program May Affect Presidential Race

ATLANTA, Ga. — (Special) — A new power in national politics promises to rise from the Biennial Council of the General Federation of Women's Clubs which opened here today and continues thru Friday.

Politicians of both major parties are waiting anxiously for a definition of the federation's attitude during the coming presidential campaign, and the campaigns of the future.

Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, national president, will recommend that working rules for the General Federation in its relation to political activities be formulated.

This is by far from the viewpoint of national affairs, the most important function of the convention.

However, other constructive measures will be discussed, in this, the first executive council of the organization's history.

Among these will be: Establishment of scholarships for young women, to be supported from the income of the \$100,000 Federation War Victory Fund, these to be within the realm of social service, medicine or science.

Creation of the office of director for women's clubs in dependencies of the United States, such as Hawaii, Alaska, Philippines, now listed as "foreign."

Plans to make Washington, D. C., the hub of the world's club life and to increase the scope and usefulness of the work, at the new general headquarters recently established there at a cost of \$150,000.

"THE ARMS" ON PROGRAM
Free discussion of "spiritual forces." Much time will be given to art, music and literature, Americanization and education.

Many persons will speak prominently in women's circles of the nation. Among them will be, besides Mrs. Winter, Mrs. John D. Sherman of Colorado and Chicago, Mrs. Horace Mann Tower of Iowa and Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Leslie Stringfellow Read, Fayetteville, Ark., and Mrs. Perry V. Penny-baker of Austin, Tex., past president.

DESERTED BY WIFE, IS CHARGED IN DIVORCE SUIT

Home ties were severed three years ago by Mrs. Nellie Standiford, it is alleged in a petition for divorce filed in common pleas court Monday.

Mrs. Standiford, the husband, who has had the care of their son, Robert, since the wife's departure, asserts he does not know where she is.

They were married in Chicago in 1913.

FOREST FIRE UNDER CONTROL
LANCASTER, Ohio—The forest fire that has been raging in Hocking and Deer Creek-tips, south of Lancaster, in Fairfield-co for the past week, was believed under control at noon today. Farmers who have been fighting the fire say they believe it is now isolated and will burn itself out within a few hours. It is estimated that 2,000 acres of timber have been destroyed.

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MOTHER TO 3 MAY BE DEPORTED

Woman Caring for Children of Brother Illiterate

OFFICIALS SEND WARNING

Refuses to Marry. Hasn't Time to Learn to Read

SAN FRANCISCO — (Special) — Official wheels in Washington, grinding systematically, have sent forth an order which, if congress does not act, will destroy a home here and separate three children from their aunt — the only "mother" they ever have known.

For it has been ruled by the department of immigration that Miss Francesca Guglielmino, native of Catania, Sicily, must return there unless she is married or can read and write before the first of the coming year.

"But how can I learn to read and write so quickly?" asks Miss Guglielmino in her native Italian, while "her children" pull at her skirts, "I am old, 60 I am, and cannot learn as readily as one younger."

"If I study who will care for the children? All day long I am busy with them. I have no time; I cannot neglect the bambinos."

"No, I will not marry. Many have written me asking I marry them. When I was a girl in Sicily, many asked me to marry. I would not then, nor will I now. I live for the children."

LIVES WITH BROTHER
Miss Guglielmino lives here with her brother, Salvatore Guglielmino, a broker. The children are his. His wife died last May. In the same month his mother with whom Miss Guglielmino then lived, died in Catania.

Guglielmino cabled for his sister to come. She got as far as Ellis Island. There she was stopped for illiteracy. Friends interceded and she was allowed to enter America for six months.

Just before the six-month period expired, the time was extended. But now, the immigration authorities have ruled that she must return the first of the year.

It is toward congress that the Guglielminos look. Friends have told them Congress can pass a special legislation which would nullify the immigration department's ruling. And—

"I do not believe they will make me go from my home and my children," says Miss Guglielmino. "Everywhere this country is known as the great America that is so kind to unhappy people. Why then, should they wish to make us unhappy?"

LIMA PRIESTS CONDUCT MISSION AT TOLEDO

Rev. Joseph Funk and Rev. Francis Dauenhauser, of St. Gerard's church opened a mission at St. Patrick's Catholic church in Toledo, Sunday to continue two weeks.

The first week will be devoted to Catholic and non-Catholic women and the second week the services will be for men. The Lima Redemptorist Fathers have a comprehensive program of lectures to be presented.

WATKINS LOSES BADGE

Officer Dick Watkins is concerned about his badge, lost while making a run between the police station and the courthouse. The badge is No. 20. Dick would appreciate the finder notifying the police station.

GRAIN EXPORTS GROW

WASHINGTON—Exports of grain from the United States during the last week were 4,601,000 bushels, compared to 4,033,000 the week before.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

WILLIAMS & DAVIS: G. V. Hardin from B. & O. depot to 833 Fairview-av; Mrs. John Swartz from St. Rita's hospital to 808 W. Wayne-st; Mrs. Roy Johnson from City hospital to Elida; Ed Hicks from S. West-st to City hospital.

POWERSOCKS: Mrs. Howard Gosard from City hospital to 644 Cal-tapa-st.

CTTY: Mrs. A. C. Reed from 319 E. Second-st to St. Rita's hospital; Cliff Thomas from Euclid-av to St. Rita's hospital.

WALK-OVER

Princess Pat The Fashionable Walk-Over Walking Shoe

A world-wide Walk-Over favorite. Princess Pat has a straight inside line that conforms to the natural foot shape. Narrow heel that fits snugly with no pressure. A shoe with unbelievable comfort, yet so smart and stylish that it is widely imitated for its style alone. Princess Pat, exclusively Walk-Over, comes in high shoes, oxfords, or pumps.

Black Kid \$8.50
Brown Kid 9.00

FISHER'S
Lima On The Square

Walk-Over
BOOT SHOP

Try Our \$2.30 Hose For Satisfaction

Toledo Summit St.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

OTTAWA NEWS

LID CLAMPED ON
SLOT MACHINESMayor of Ottawa Orders Games
of Chance Stopped

Orders by Mayor W. A. Beutler to remove slot machines from business places in Ottawa were obeyed Monday morning by Marshal B. M. Cahill, who made a canvass of all places where they were located. Most of the machines are declared by the marshal to belong to a local agency and will be turned back without financial loss to those who maintained them in their places of business.

Slot machines were mentioned specifically in the mayor's orders.

Removal of the devices will not cause financial loss, according to Cahill. He was told by a majority of the owners that, if anything, they are gained by them outside their value as business getters and trade attractions. The most that was hoped for by the majority was to "break even," the marshal was told.

Clio statutes governing regulation of the machines were invoked by the mayor in issuing the order.

He cites the danger to juveniles as the motive for his action. Boys of high school age with limited means are prone to "play" the devices, although to become as a fever in their young veins, he says. "And there are conducive to other misdeeds," Marshall Cahill added, "because boys will throw down the golden rule to provide themselves with money to spend on the machine."

The mayor's edict is for immediate removal of the devices.

OTTAWA HIGH TEAM TO
PLAY LAST GAME TUESDAY

Ottawa high school team will have its last opportunity Tuesday afternoon at the W. Main-st grounds to finish the season with a .500 percentage.

Everything depends on the final game with Leipsic, the team that played at Ottawa by the scant margin of 4 to 3 two weeks ago. The local team has won one and lost one in the series with Columbus Grove.

The second game with Leipsic is the last on the schedule. This date was moved up earlier in the week because of the county field meet Saturday.

John Fumbert, who relieved Dunn on the mound when Columbus Grove romped away with a 13-5 victory Saturday, probably will be given a chance to show his pitching wares.

HAVE FAITH, UNCLE
JOE URGESRight Will Prevail, He Says in
Celebrating Birthday

DANVILLE, Ill.—(Associated Press)—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, who served in congress thru two generations, with a record and display of personality that has made his name and black eagle as well known to school boys as to politicians, today is celebrating his eight-seventh birthday and his home-coming from his final session of congress.

Joseph Churney Cannon, for years speaker of the house, is going to rest for the remainder of his life. He is going to settle down in Danville, sit back in an easy chair in his home, and let a younger man take his place in politics.

To the people who gathered here, to all the people of America, "Uncle Joe" passed the following message and greeting:

"I am glad this demonstration of your affection is in itself compensation for my half century of public service, the extent of my gratitude cannot be weighed or measured. To all, my heart goes out in thankful love."

"It is good to have lived and worked with you. You are my heroes. You are the people I have served in congress thru two generations. You are the people I want to see pass the remainder of my days."

"To you, to all the people of America, from my observance of half a century, bring this message. Have faith. Often you will feel that you are a great uncertainty, but in this government, this is the only way to rise to the top. I have learned that and will triumph over evil."

"Have faith in the government of our fathers."

"Give your faith by works to support that government."

"Give faith that right will prevail."

REDUCTION OF INSURANCE
PREMIUM COST SEEN HERE

Assurance that the possibility of lowering fire insurance rates in Lima since the installation of great improved water service, would be investigated by the Ohio Insurance Bureau, was given Monday in a letter from T. B. Sellers, head of the bureau, to City Manager C. A. Langman.

E. H. Howland, inspector for the National Underwriters' association, who visited Lima at the time the installations were being made, told city officials that reductions in premiums amounting to \$25,000 yearly might be expected when the jobs were completed.

CARS IN COLLISION

An automobile driven by Harry Jones, 22, Baxter-st, struck another car of Gerald Nesiek, 25, Thayer-st, Sunday afternoon, causing both, according to a report to police headquarters. None injured.

OTTAWA MERCHANTS GIVE
APPROVAL TO PLANS FOR
COMMUNITY ASSEMBLIES

Approval of 33 of the 50 Ottawa merchants who are asked to support a plan to hold community gatherings each Wednesday evening during the summer season was secured by Manager Rhodes of the Tawa theatre, who announced Monday he had obtained the number of signatures after an hour and a half of work.

All merchants east of the B. & O. railroad were secured, he announced. He began canvassing the west part of the business district later.

The proposition was endorsed by the Ottawa Kiwanis club, financially, is giving its moral support to the utmost.

Each Wednesday evening, beginning May 23 or a week later, community motion pictures and band concerts will be given near the courthouse. Everybody in the county is invited to attend.

The motion picture will be projected under supervision of Rhodes. His original plan was to show the films on a screen set up on the courthouse lawn, but this may be changed, it was announced.

ACCOUNTING SYSTEM TO
BE INSTALLED AT OTTAWA
BY FARM BUREAU HEADS

Installation of a uniform accounting system will be made at Putnam farm bureau headquarters, according to announcement Monday by J. W. Henceroth, agricultural agent. The proposition was voted on favorably at a meeting of the farm bureau executive committee Saturday night.

The system will embrace every feature of farm bureau work having to do with receipts. It makes errors impossible and facilitates details, Henceroth said. An expert accountant under B. B. Mason, state farm bureau auditor, will install the system.

These systems have been installed by livestock shipping companies, Leipsic and Vaughnsville and will soon be put in force by the Ottawa county.

TONSIL, ADENOID CLINIC
IS PLANNED FOR OTTAWA

A clinic for tonsil and adenoid cases will be opened Friday at health headquarters in the courthouse in Ottawa. It was announced Monday by county health authorities.

Application for treatment has been received from six parents, the maximum number that can be handled at one time. Surgeons who will perform the work have not yet been announced.

ROWLANDS COMPANY GETS
PROPERTY IN COLUMBUS

Lease for 99 years on the old Sessions block, southeast corner of High and Long-sts, Columbus, has been obtained from Leo Marks of New York by the C. H. and A. D. Rowlands Realty Co. The Rowlands operate the Rowlands Co. furniture store of Lima.

The property has a frontage on High-st. of 63.5 feet and a depth of 67.5 feet on Long-st. The consideration was said to be \$500,000. The old building will be razed immediately, the new owners said, and a modern store and office building will be erected in its place. Four large storerooms will occupy the street floor.

CHECK FORGERS
ARE TRAILEDWorthless Paper, Representing
Million, Sent Stock Exchange

NEW YORK—(Associated Press)—Postoffice inspectors this afternoon went on the trail of a band of check forgers who cut out over the week-end nearly 100 checks, aggregating more than a million dollars, accompanied by letters to stock brokers in New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, ordering large purchases of stock.

The New York Stock Exchange, in announcing the matter had been turned over to the government by the Better Business Bureau, disclosed that at least seventy checks, averaging \$15,000 each, had been received by New York houses alone.

Nearly thirty were sent to houses in Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago. The letters were mailed from widely separated spots in Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts and one Chicago house reported it had received one posted in Kansas City.

Wall Street brokers, declaring the perpetrators of the hoax obviously could not have expected to gain possession of the stocks ordered, since the orders were placed in the names of various reputable business houses, attributed the scheme to unscrupulous traders, with a desire to "rig" the market.

Opinion differed as to which side of the market was responsible. It was pointed out that it produced conditions favoring first one side, and then the other. Stocks rose sharply at the outset, giving operators who might have been advised of the maneuver an opportunity to cash in on sales in anticipation of a break. Then the break came, pushing almost the entire list to new low levels, and giving operators on that side an opportunity for a clean-up.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Floyd Cain, 21, colored, laborer, 331 S. Central-av, and Anna Belle Stanley, colored, 18, 1029 W. Spring-st.

William Neuge, 25, mechanic's helper, McCullough-st, and Mae Belle Herring, 19, clerk, 625 N. Jefferson-st.

Ella Warren Kinsdale, 23, molder, 323 E. Vine-st, and Mary Mandy Nichols 19, stripper, 435 N. Pierce-st.

WISHER ESCAPES
PRISON TERMBoy Blackhand to Live With
Aunt in Indiana

HIS AIR CASTLES CRUMBLE

Sentence to Mansfield Reformatory
is Suspended

Virgil Wisner, 16, farm boy, whose attempt to extort \$1,000 from Mrs. Edna Neely Rogers, 437 S. Woodlawn-av, was foiled by police, left Lima for a long time Monday.

The youth was given an opportunity by Juvenile Judge J. H. Hamilton to start life amid new surroundings. He will live with an aunt at Indianapolis.

Judge Hamilton received a score or more of letters from various persons, requesting him to give the boy a chance.

Only one person who communicated with the judge wanted to see the boy get the limit. Judge Hamilton talked with Virgil for a long time before making up his mind in the case.

He finally determined to sentence him to Mansfield reformatory, and then suspended the sentence to give the lad another chance in a new environment.

"Virgil is a bright boy," said Judge Hamilton. "Under changed conditions he will go straight, I am sure. He is very repentant and for years to come will be reminded of the affair every time he steps on his hounded foot."

Air castles built by the boy have crumbled to dust. He sought to obtain the money to get an education. The shattering of his dreams has left Virgil in a numbed frame of mind, Judge Hamilton believes.

"I'll never go wrong again," he told the judge.

"Why did you do this, Virgil?" asked the court. "Didn't you figure Mrs. Neely would tell the police?"

"Yes, but I didn't think they could get me."

Mrs. Rogers was selected as the intended victim of the boy's plot, rather than someone else, Virgil said because he had heard she was wealthy.

"I figured I could scare her," declared the boy. "Now I wish I hadn't tried."

Judge Hamilton declared he was satisfied the boy played a lone hand in the attempt and had no connection with any organized gang.

Virgil has almost recovered from wounds inflicted by police when he was trapped at the door of the Rogers home and was shot when he turned and ran.

GIRL CALLS KING
BEN NICE MANColony Ruler's Word Law, Wit-
ness Tells Probers

ST. JOSEPH, Mich.—(U. P.)—"The king can do no wrong," was the attitude of members of the House of David toward their leader, "King" Benjamin Purnell, witnesses today told investigators of the cult.

Testifying before Judge Harry Dingeman, conducting a grand jury probe of the House of David, Pearl Flake, 14, said the "king's" word was law and that no one ever doubted or questioned his rulings.

"He was a nice man," the girl said.

Since being brought here from Chicago where she was taken into custody while accompanied by her mother, the girl has been kept secluded. Officials who brought her to St. Joseph said the mother attempted to whisper to the daughter.

"Now stand by Benjamin," the mother and daughter fled from the colony.

PAVING LEGISLATION TO
BE CONSIDERED TONIGHT

Paving ordinances and resolutions will occupy attention of the city commission at the meeting Monday evening. House moving and drainage ordinances are due for a second reading. Both may be enacted Monday.

A resolution transferring \$1,600 from depository interest to the department of public works is to be adopted.

Report of the city auditor for the month of March will show that department balances at the end of the month were as follows:

Water works, \$11,376; public works, \$192; safety, \$28; health, \$299; general government, \$1,553.

Ordinances and resolutions on street paving for 1923 will be passed for the last time Monday evening. Petitions were accepted up to noon Monday.

SPENCER, MONROE FARM
BUREAU MEETS PLANNED

Members of the Spencer-Town Farm bureau will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the K. of P. hall in Spencer for a discussion of L. B. Taylor for boys and girls of the township.

The same evening members of the Monroe-Town Farm bureau will meet at the Rockport Presbyterian church, for a similar discussion.

MOTOR IS STOLEN

An electric motor valued at \$45 was stolen from the Covo Cola works on S. Union-st, according to Ira J. Robbins, 628 N. Jamieson-av, who reported the theft to police Sunday. He left the motor at the plant last week and it was missing when he went after it Sunday, he said.

DELPHOS NEWS

47 ARE INITIATED
AT DELPHOSOttawa and Ottoville Contribute
to Class Total

Three councils contributed to a class of 47 candidates initiated Sunday by the Knights of Columbus amid impressive ceremonies at Delphos. Twenty-six of the new members were supplied by Delphos, 16 by Ottoville and five by Ottawa.

Degree work was completed in the afternoon. The second degree was conferred by Delphos council, assisted by John C. Cushman, grand knight of Springfield. P. J. Kirwin and staff of London exemplified the third.

High mass was solemnized in St. John's Catholic church at 10 a. m. for the knights, who attended in a body. I. v. Frederick Rupert, pastor preached an eloquent sermon, extending a welcome to the visiting members of the order. The church was specially decorated for the occasion.

Covers were laid for 70 at the banquet given in the evening at St. John's auditorium. The big hall was filled to overflowing.

An address of welcome was delivered by Father Rupert. P. J. Kirwin, of London; Rev. George Lang, Defiance, and Byron Hayes, Ft. Wayne, gave addresses. A. J. Laudick acted as toastmaster and Rev. A. J. Bishop gave the invocation. The banquet was prepared by women of the parish.

The Delphos K. of C. quartet, composed of Raymond McKown, Joseph Mach, Sylvester Grothouse and Rudolph Snyder, sang two songs and answered to as many queries. Mach sang two tenor solos. Instrumental music was furnished by the Delphos orchestra.

The committee in charge of the event, which attracted many members from Lima, Defiance, Wapakoneta, St. Marys and other councils, was composed of J. L. Weisberger, Dr. F. G. Maurer, Mark Juniper, O. G. Weger, Rudolph Jettinghoff, B. H. vonLehmdon, Ed King, Anthony Warnecke, Carl Moenter, A. C. Weger, Dr. F. A. Long, Dr. F. A. Young, A. F. Lindemann, George Rode, Thomas Gengler, William Lehmkuhle, Fred Geise, Arnold Schmelter, Otto Kaverman, A. J. Laudick and L. C. Laudick.

FOSTORIA MINISTER IN
DELPHOS KIWANIS TALK

Rev. C. E. Cressler, of Fostoria, was the principal speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Delphos Kiwanis club at the Beckman hotel Monday.

Carl Diemstberger Jr., director of Finzel's orchestra, Detroit, gave several violin solos, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Rose Fast. He played several of his own compositions.

BINKLEY FUNERAL

Body of Charles Binkley, 40, who died Saturday at Toledo hospital, will arrive in Delphos at 10 a. m. Tuesday. The body will be taken to the Baxter & Harter mortuary, where services will be held at 1:30 p. m. Rev. Arthur Valentine officiating. Interment will be in the Middlepoint cemetery.

COSTS REDUCED IN CASE
OF MORPHIS VS. TRUBEY

Reduction in the cost bill in the case of Sadie Morphis, Toledo, against R. R. Trubey, was ordered by Judge H. W. Blachly, in common pleas court Monday, in deciding a motion filed by Trubey, declaring that they were too high.

Judge Blachly ordered the costs reduced from \$431.40 to \$337.55. Witness fees and sheriff's fees in the case were pronounced too high by the court.

John T. Cotner, clerk of the courts, said the error in making up the costs, was due to allowing witness fees from Toledo, although outside the county and also crediting the sheriff with mileage to Toledo for serving papers on witnesses.

Mrs. Morphis sued Trubey for \$500 deposited with him as a surety, she alleged. A jury, after allowing Trubey attorney fee from the money, directed that the remainder be returned.

CAUSE OF CANCER MAY BE
ON VERGE OF DISCOVERY

LONDON—The cause of cancer, one of the most baffling problems confronting the scientific world, may be on the verge of discovery, British medical men declared today, following announcement that Dr. A. H. Drew of the Imperial Cancer Research Foundation had succeeded with the aid of a salt solution, in cultivating and growing cancerous tumors.

The success of Dr. Drew is regarded as of extreme importance. Scientists now propose to work backward and find the cause of the growth.

CLOTHING CLERK DIES
FROM COMPLICATIONS

Caldwell B. Beattie, 58, clothing clerk here for two decades, died Monday at his home, 419 1-2 W. Elm-st, of complications. He was born in Canada.

Deceased is survived by his widow and three sons, Caldwell A., Frederick S. and William E., all of Lima; two daughters, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Lima; Mrs. Ed Snyder, Beaufort; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday 2 p. m. from the residence. Burial in Woodlawn cemetery.

BRAKEMAN KILLED

PORTSMOUTH—Getting off his train to find his hat, Daniel B. Copsey, 23, Norfolk and Western freight brakeman was not seen again until the crew of a train following picked up his mangled body. He died in a hospital in Chillicothe, Ohio, this morning.

DELPHOS SOCIETY

Regular business meeting of Court Delphos, Catholic Daughters of America will take place Tuesday evening in the Knights of Columbus hall, E. Third-st.

Arrangements will be made at this meeting for the next social that will be held May 22. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Pythian Sisters will hold their meeting Tuesday evening in the Knights of Pythias hall, E. Second-st. This will be the regular business of the month.

Hospitality of the Bert Detmer home, S. Clay-st, will be offered the members of the J. T. club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Detmer, the hostess, is planning a delightful time for the members.

Thursday evening the Stith-awes club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Albert Mox, S. Pierce-st.

Delightful afternoon is being planned for the members of the 1814 card club when they will be entertained by Mrs. Frank Kait, at her home on N. Scott-st.

Pastime Kachere club will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Rathburn, N. Canal-st, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gungler spent Sunday afternoon in Van Wert.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards were Lima visitors Sunday evening.

DELPHOS LEGION TEAM
DEFEATS SPENCERVILLE

Delphos American Legion baseball team defeated the Spencerville team Sunday afternoon at the S. Clay-st grounds, Delphos, by a score of 8 to 3.

Good catching on the part of Tilton held the opponents down to five hits. Dittio, playing right field in place of Wood, clouted out a home run. The ball hit the left field fence, the longest hit ever made on the local grounds.

This was the second game of the season, the local team being defeated in the first game with Celina.

MRS. DAVIS OBEQUES

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary J. Davis, 49, who died Friday at her home, 410 W. Second-st, were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday at the residence. Rev. Otis Harter, pastor of the Olivet Presbyterian church, officiated. Interment was in the West Side cemetery. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis.

EXAMS AT DELPHOS

Examinations will start in the Delphos high school, Thursday, according to Superintendent H. H. Hlick. They will continue until Thursday of next week.

NURSE GRADUATES

Commencement Exercises for
Seven, May 16

Commencement exercises for seven graduates of the City hospital will be held in Trinity M. E. church at 8 p. m., the evening of May 16. Dr. J. R. Tiltonson will deliver the commencement address.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday at 10:30 a. m. at the First Congregational church. Rev. Arthur F. Lindbeck, pastor, will deliver the sermon.

Members of the Women's board of the hospital will hold a reception for invited guests at the church parlors after commencement exercises.

Members of this year's graduating class are: Miss Naomi Copp, Miss Lucille Selles, Miss Ruth Watt, Miss Marcia L. Mark, Miss Hazel R. McCune and Miss L. Maude Houtzner.

MYERS BOND FORFEITED;
CASE MAY BE REOPENED

Bond of \$1,000 for F. J. Myers, 51, of 108 E. Spring-st, who was arrested Saturday night, charged with possession of illicit liquor, was forfeited Monday morning in criminal court.

After court had been adjourned and Judge Jackson had left his office, an attorney entered appearance for Myers. He will return Tuesday and ask that the case be considered again.

FOUR FINED, FOUR OTHERS
HAVE CASES CONTINUED

Four persons were fined \$15 in criminal court Monday when they admitted being intoxicated. Four similar cases were held open to give the defendants a chance to talk to their attorney and one man charged with driving while intoxicated pleaded not guilty.

Those fined by Judge Jackson were C. C. Judy, 31, of 728 S. Union-st; G. W. Smith, 38, of 327 1-2 S. Main-st; L. W. Miller, 58, of 131 W. Spring-st; W. E. Landman, 12, of 123 S. Scott-st.

Glen Peters, 19, of 716 1-2 S. Union-st, who was taken into custody with Judy, was released after a charge of disorderly conduct had been filed against him. He was not intoxicated, but according to police was disorderly.

G. H. Vogelsang, 26, of Spencer-ville, who police said was driving an automobile while intoxicated, in which Judy and Peters were riding, pleaded not guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated and bond was set at \$100.

Frank Yuskys, 32, of 1565 S. Main-st; Frank Klaves, 40, of 1309 S. Main-st; John Barkus, 38, of 14 W. Fourth-st; John Barkus, 32, of 14 W. Fourth-st, arrested by Sheriff Crasson, were given time to consult their attorney.

DR. MURPHY WILL
IS ATTACKEDSuit of Daughter Against Step-
Mother Opened Monday

Trial of an action to set aside the will of the late Dr. John J. Murphy, instituted by Mrs. Mary Murphy Edmunds, 919 N. Main-st, against Mrs. Julia R. Baughman, Lafayette, and Mrs. Mary M. Murphy, 619 N. Main-st, commenced before Judge Fred C. Becker in common pleas court Monday.

The plaintiff, a daughter of the decedent, charges that the will filed in probate court by Mrs. Mabel Murphy, widow, making her sole legatee, is not the true document. She seeks to have the instrument set aside and the estate divided according to law. Mrs. Baughman is also a daughter of the decedent.

A venire of 30 jurors reported in court Monday. The jury panel will be selected from the number. Seventy-five witnesses were subpoenaed to testify in the case. Of this number 53 are for the plaintiff and 23 for the defendants.

None of the witnesses are to appear in court until Tuesday. Attorneys anticipate that Monday will be consumed in selecting a jury. The venire called contains 15 men and an equal number of women.

Dr. John J. Murphy died April 13, 1922. A paper purporting to be his last will and testament, as provided on April 17. It is alleged to have been executed March 3, 1914.

HEARING REFUSED

Supreme Court Declines to Re-
view Liquor Case

WASHINGTON—(Associated Press)—An effort to have the supreme court pass on the right of a church to seize in prohibition cases without a search warrant failed today when the court declined to review a case brought by Tony and Mary Parich of Los Angeles. They had been arrested and convicted in a prohibition case despite their protest that their premises were unlawfully entered to obtain evidence.

Review was denied in a number of similar cases also.

RICHLAND-TP PUPILS
TO GRADUATE WEDNESDAY

Graduates of eighth grade schools of Richland-tp will hold commencement exercises Wednesday evening at 8 at the Bluffton high school auditorium.

Rev. J. Norman King will address the community school graduates and members will give a program consisting of readings, songs and music.

Thirty-four graduates represent Owens, Graft, Bluffville, Diller, Stager and Burcher.

HUNTSVILLE WOMAN DIES
AT DAUGHTER'S HOME HERE

Mrs. Sara E. McCurdy, 76, of Huntsville, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Wren, 1700 W. High-st, a pneumonia. She was born in Toledo, February 22, 1847.

Surviving besides the daughter at whose home she died are three other children, Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, Chicago; Mr. F. W. Hazen, Clinton, Mich; Mr. C. H. Campbell, Denver.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

FIGHT OVER RAILS
IS PLANNEDThree Corned Political Battle
is Forecast

HARDING SEEKS MERGER

LaFollette for Government Con-
trol—Democrats for Compromise

WASHINGTON—(United Press)—Three sets of plans for settling the country's transportation problem will be urged on the country in a political battle over railroads, which may dwarf all other issues in the 1924 campaign.

President Harding and his administration will have one plan—a fairly definite program, based upon consolidation of existing lines into a score of great systems. Senator LaFollette and his bipartisan progressive bloc in congress will have another, based upon squeezing all the water out of railroad valuation and a sort of half-way government control.

The Democrats—or at least the McAdoo group—will have a third, which probably will represent a compromise between the extremes of government ownership or control and a non-competitive consolidation plan.

LIVESTOCK ISSUES

All plans recognize in the railroad question the lives of the issues confronting them. Farmers, manufacturers, consumers are all stirred up about high rates and threatened failure this summer and failure of the railroads to meet the demands put upon them by big crops and renewed industrial activity.

The progressive bloc in congress intends to make its strongest appeal to the country on the transportation issue.

LaFollette in person, will take charge of this campaign and when President Harding goes out this summer to discuss the railroads and other issues with the people, LaFollette will be out too, either just ahead of Mr. Harding or just behind him, giving his side of the picture.

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WATERWAY TRANSPORTATION

LIMA and Allen-co are vitally interested in the development of the waterways of the country. They are most particularly affected by the prospect of the rehabilitation of the Miami & Erie canal, between the Ohio river and the Great Lakes.

Consequently, so far as the public conscience can be read at this particular time, there is satisfaction over the action of Governor Donahey in rebuking the canal pirates—those who would forever prevent the possibility of the restoration of Ohio's once important waterway, by giving away, selling or abandoning portions of the waterway in Piqua and Dayton, as provided in the Spidel bill enacted by the legislature. The canal has been made a political football for years, until it is a waterway in name only, and now a Republican legislature seeks to give away the residue of the people's property.

Ancient the frustrated canal steal, there are some pertinent facts which stand out prominently and are undeniable arguments in favor of not only retaining present waterways, but moving in the direction of new ones—the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence route for instance.

Whereas in the past the railroads of the United States have been accredited with being guilty of a campaign against canals, it now appears that they have recanted, realizing that water routes would be a help instead of a hindrance to them. The American Railway association announces that expenditures authorized by the railway companies since January 1, 1922, have aggregated \$1,510,000,000. That car loading during February and March this year has exceeded winter records and approaches the peak records of other years. That, compared with the high mark of 1,018,000 cars loaded in one week in October, 1920, weekly car-loadings are expected to run above 1,000,000 in at least 13 weeks of the present year.

The railroads call on every householder, job-keeper, factory manager, farmer and shipper for cooperation toward relieving the heaviest traffic burden in the annals of railroading in the United States. There is but one way of effectively accomplishing this: By providing waterways to aid the railroads in moving America's vast and ever-increasing commerce.

"FEDERAL AID" BUNK

IN these latter days the people hear much about "federal aid," and the wonderful prospect it implies in getting something for nothing. It's the veriest bunk. It has such an attractive sound, however, that few states have had the firmness to resist it.

The state of Massachusetts shows up the fallacy of the thing in its fight to have the Sheppard-Towner maternity benefit act declared unconstitutional. Offer of "federal aid" is simply an inducement to do some certain thing congress wants a state to do. See what you save! That's the bait thrown out. But the fact is lost sight of that the people have first supplied the money and that Uncle Sam simply does it back to them.

Ten industrial states of the nation pay three-fourths of the internal taxes. They are assessed for "federal aid" to a much greater amount than they ever get back, if the aid is divided evenly among the states. But it isn't. The poorer commonwealths take advantage of the situation. They drop in a nickel and get back a dollar, while the states which pay the bulk of the assessment for Uncle Sam's "great-hearted beneficence," have long ago discerned the foke of the thing and realize how hard they are getting it in the neck.

There'll come a time, doubtless when the supreme court of the United States will take the lid off "federal aid" and show it up as it really is—a delusion and a snare. Under the plan now in vogue, Washington collects the money from the states, appoints the bureaucrats, establishes the scale of salaries and returns the money in such sums as Washington—not any state, mind you—decides.

The same principle is employed in road construction. There's a lot of chatter about federal aid, but unless the wits of county boards of commissioners are sharp, other units of the commonwealth get the lion's share or practically all of the money paid in for distribution later, after overhead expenses are deducted. It's a great system!

Now there is a prediction that the world will end in 1926. Don't get worried. It has been a long time since such a guess came true.

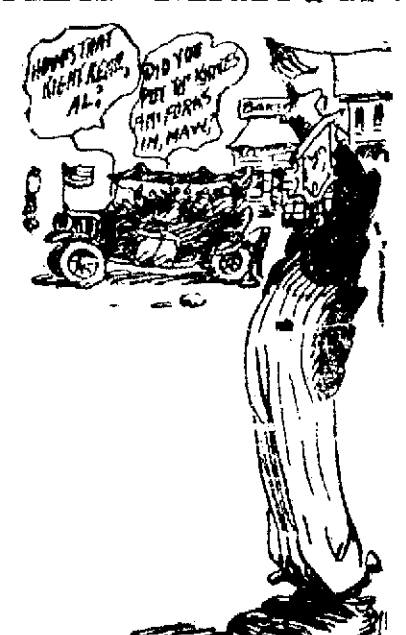
We know a Lima man past 90 who smokes. Suppose the anti-tobacco bugs will say he wouldn't be near that old if he didn't smoke.

'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

—WITH APOLOGIES—

BY OH, OH JACKENRIM
A Page from the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter: Early up, and was put in sad humor for the day. When George laid a stack of monthly memorandums at my breakfast plate. Every time on the Main-

ABE MARTIN



It's just about 10:30 a feller kin see a dog store without a cat a pharmacist. "Live so you'll never have to try to throw the newspaper," said ex-critic Gale Hubert, "day, in his address of the Apple Grove High School."
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st, and divers representatives from the suburbs, the blwys and the lodgers. Sent in their cheery harbingers of deliveries made. It was disquieting, Albert a true picture of life, round the first of the month.

Walked to the Club, for a bath in the pool. But no one about. And so, in the brave sunshine to meet Don C. Henderson, the premier jurist, and George E. MacDonell, publisher of the Baptist News. Who gave me the latest copy, just off the press. I quote: "Charles Carter and George McNeany make a fine team in the orchestra."

Put in at Elmer Thomas' gold mine, and looked over a tractor for the lawn. Getting his terms, and reasonable down payment. Taenno home, to find my wife, poor wretch, all a-worry over housecleaning. Having found a fly in the percola, and her friends nearly thru with their annual disturbances. She is no mood for mirth. So we lunched without gabble. On a potato soup, with dandelion greens; and a preserved fig for the sweet.

In the afternoon, had a becker of pineapple fruit with Frank Benta, the millionaire home builder; chatted long and in no good mood about the town; then, about the town to about a fog.

from Sir Jawa Blattenberg, all merry and brave. But complaining business for a veterinary is growing dark. And he may start a vulcanizing parlor. Which I took in a jocose mood.

Dined on what I supposed was rot de bouef, from the Miller kennels. Albert, Clark had mistaken a hog for a steer, and sent me pork. Which displeased me much, it being the first time in 20 years Moxey ever made such a cruel mistake. He being a remarkable fellow. To the Alexander Academy, where the Parson told me privately he had been invited to speak at the synagogue at an early date. Which I did not believe.

In the evening, to see a neighbor who has been ill of the nervous type. And he doing nicely. Thence home and to my book while. It being the strange tale of a man's marriage to a factory girl. And she unwilling to live as to the manner born style. Going back to a riding master, with loud shirts and huge watchchain. The tale being one Stella Dallas by name.

Then came friends for a round of dominoes. And later we all had glasses of cold milk, with peanut butter sandwiches. When one in good humored chaff, gave imitation of a breezy dance he had seen in Toledo. So rather late, to bed.

FLY SWATTING TIME



SHORT ONES

A gardener tells us he has raised his hopes.

Mint is growing wild in the woods and so is the julep.

Now is the time to begin resting up for your vacation.

The political pot is boiling. It makes lots of smokes.

You can't get ahead by spending your time getting even.

The latest boy wonder is "How long before vacation?"

Never stop swatting flies until you run out of them.

The reason some people slip is because they haven't the sand.

Only two classes of people fail for flattery—male and female.

Daylight is getting more plentiful, but we ought to use it all.

Education is expensive, but it isn't as expensive as ignorance.

Lots of people think the world owes them two or three livings.

Always getting into hot water will eventually cook your goose.

The main trouble with a reformer is he is liable to become a defamer.

One good thing about a cheap watch is you can always tell what time it isn't.

No matter what kind of clothes the women wear next, they will not show their age.

Sometimes a politician can't tell the people where he stands because he is on the run.

A young lady tells us that crying for a man isn't half as quick as smiling for a man.

Times are so bad with some people they won't buy a single new automobile this spring.

About the best way to make an enemy is to agree with a man when he says he looks bad.

LIMA NEWS HEALTH SERVICE

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief, and written in ink. Address letters to Dr. William Brady, care of The News.

By DR. WILLIAM BRADY

WHAT'S IN A KISS

A reader is worried about the approaching visit of a friend from another place who has cancer of the stomach, but is unaware of the nature of the disease. The friend is a great one for kissing; our correspondent fears she may contract cancer for the friend would be offended if she declined to kiss.

Cosh, that brings to mind a dear old music teacher who taught three or four generations of children, and remembered them all. She had a way of grabbing you and—well, honestly, it grew worse as the years went by and finally, I fancy, some of her pupils simply had to deny themselves the pleasure of paying her a call when they happened to be in her vicinity. So I can sympathize with the correspondent who is in imminent danger of being kissed by her old friend.

Just what is there in an innocent little kiss between friends?

No danger of getting cancer that way, thank you. Cancer is not communicable. So our correspondent may rest easily about that.

Duly kisses and formal or ceremonial kissing ought to be limited strictly to the fashion of the ceremonial kiss in France.

It is not only cruel but criminal to kiss a baby about the mouth, for this operation implants in or upon the mouth heaven only knows

what strains or bacteria and undoubtedly brings to many a luckless infant serious disease or death.

There can be no question that many cases of so called "colds" are directly caused by kissing. The skill and technique of the bacteriologist can devise no more effective means of conveying the germs of the respiratory infections called "colds" from one person to another than a kiss.

Kissing is a great institution and well worth the risks involved under proper circumstances. But what a tragedy it is to the thoughtless or careless girl who temporarily lays aside her modesty or self respect and submits to the kiss of some young man, say at a party where only "nice" people are present, only to learn a few weeks later that the "nice" young man was diseased.

This has happened in many cases on record. Disease is no respecter of caste; contrary to the popular notion it often stalks where the appearance indicates health.

In order to forestall the confirmed kisser without giving offense, I suggest a little lie. Refrain from taking a kiss, mumbled something about just getting over a coryza or a sore throat or something and fearing you may still harbor the germs.

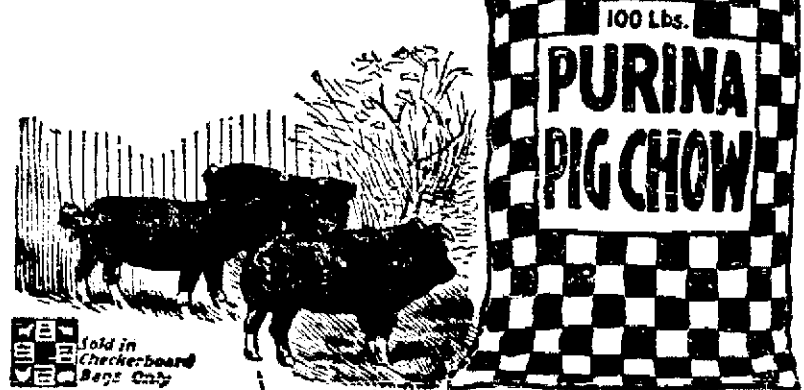
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JUST FOLKS

By Edgar A. Guest

HOPE

There's hope in a place, however dark,
There's hope in a prison cell.
'Twas hope that lightened up Noah's Ark.
Till the raging waters fell.
And there's never a breast so bleak and bare
But the spark of hope is glistening there.

There is hope whatever the place may be
There is hope in the darkened room,
Hope on the storm-tossed, angry sea
And hope at a loved one's tomb.
And there's never a heart so sorely torn
But can cherish the hope of a brighter morn.

Hope can shine thru a gray stone wall
And barriers strong and stout,

And hope can answer the faintest call
And no power can shut it out.
Tho a man be shackled and locked away,
Hope sings to him a better day.

For hope will follow the will to be,
And go with the will to do,
And there's none so low in this world but he
May fashion his life anew.
For hope shall shine thru the darkened day
Till the last brave man shall have passed away.

Dandruff Heads Become Hairless

If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. Four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.—Adv.

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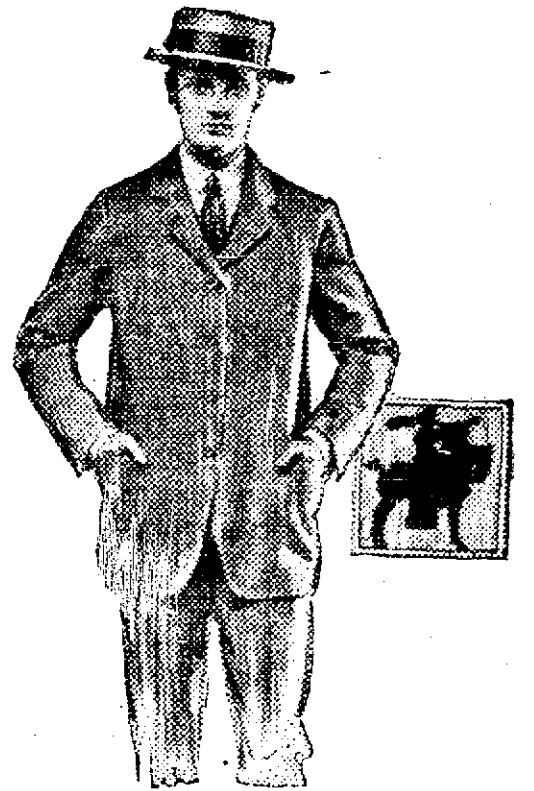
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"BROWNIE" GETS REVENGE ON DOG CATCHERS

(BY GERTRUDE GILLHAM)
"BROWNIE" is the only dog ever to take the seat out of Charlie Chaplin's pants and get away with it.
By this tour de force, "Brownie" literally launched his way to stardom among Hollywood's four-footed screen players, whose number now is legion.
Right away "Brownie" felt he had a mission in life—to bring contempt upon all dog catchers. And after much dogged preparation, he has finally been cast in such a role.

As champion of the anti-vivisection cohorts, he will attack the canine whippers in a serio-comic film, soon to be released by the Century Company. Dog haters, even more than vivisectionists, are the objects of his wrath.

A man has compounded a dog exterminating solution. He's about to put the poison on "Brownie's" little paws. Elected at a council of canines to save the formula, our hero permits himself to be caught, gets the finger by stratagem and lures the would-be exterminator to a fatal plunge from a window. A tooth for a tooth.

"Brownie," one of the most beautiful animals in movies, is owned and directed by Charles Gee, who picked him up five years ago

"The Ne'er-Do-Well" Is a Good Picture

AFTER a week of somewhat freakish pictures theatre goers may sit back and witness once more the straight drama. Such a picture is Rex Beach's "The Ne'er-Do-Well" appearing this week at the Quilna theatre and co-starring Thomas Meighan and Lila Lee. The novel has plenty of screen material, although the story is not especially new to movie fans.

Meighan is seen in the role of a football coach in his latest vehicle. A victory for his eleven is a signal for wild excitement. Pandemonium breaks loose and Meighan and his men are carried from the field on willing shoulders.

That night, the usual celebration in honor of the victory is held in one of the cafes and it is here that Meighan, in the role of Kirk Anthony, meets a certain strange man, and there by hangs a tale. As a result of this meeting, Kirk finds

"Lima Follies of 1923" Pleases Sunday Audiences

"LIMA FOLLIES OF 1923" opened a week's engagement at the Orpheum theatre Sunday when they offered "Cooking Up Pleasure" as the attraction for the first half of the week. The cast consists entirely of local talent: Pearl Huber, Hazel Leonard, Marie Leonard and Helen Keefe being the principal girl cooks and Harold Frank, the chef.

A dance by Helen Keefe and Marie Leonard, a solo, "Yonder in New Orleans" by Harold Lego, specialty by the Anderson brothers and "Travis from Dixie," a song and dance number by Leonard sisters and Helen Keefe are the outstanding features of the "Follies."

There are four numbers in the show in which the entire company has a part, the work of the ensemble is far above the average. Walter Windsor, producer from New York, has been in charge of the preliminary work and it was under his capable direction that the "Lima Follies of 1923" was prepared. The members of the company were carefully selected from a long list of candidates and the interest in the project has been unusual.

The stage settings and scenic investiture used in the current production are features of the show as well as the excellent costuming. The production moves with an agreeable rapidity through and there are no dull moments or waits which usually characterize an amateur performance.

Summed up, "Cooking Up Pleasure" is a melange of songs, dances and music which makes up an excellent bill of home talent entertainment.

THEATRE DIRECTORY

AT THE QUILNA
Thomas Meighan, Lila Lee and Gertrude Astor are seen in "The Ne'er-Do-Well" from the novel by Rex Beach, at the Quilna theatre. Lima News and Aesop Fable produce the picture.

AT THE SIGMA
"A Friendly Husband" with Lila Lee and "Wonders of the Sea" make up the big double attraction appearing for the first

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on the way to the pound and recently bought his release from Century for \$1750.

During his progress from the bones and buffets of an "extra" to the biscuits of stardom, this high-schooled multi dog has appeared in a dozen pictures. He has fainted at sight of a piece of limburger, rescued kids from burning buildings, caught crooks, confounded the wicked and abetted the virtuous.

"He has never been whipped nor taught tricks by cruelty," says Gee, who, as director of "Brownie" and eight other dogs in comedies, has the patient job looking like a jazz neurotic. "Stage dogs do their stunts by rote, but movie dogs must do different things in every picture. The director simply tells me his angle and I work out the details by treating and appealing to the dog like a human."

"Sometimes he gets temperamental, especially jealous. But I utilize that jealousy to make him perform when he gets sulky. He'll do anything rather than see me fondle another dog. And when I persist he tears up his blanket and gnashes the boards of his kennel." But pangs of jealousy, after all, are small price to pay for the emoluments of stardom and immunity from dog catchers.

himself stranded in Panama without a cent. He is befriended by Edith Courtland and her husband and it is then that things begin to happen in rapid succession.

In this strange country, Kirk decides to lose his title the ne'er-do-well, which his father has given him because of his indolence and inattention to business. And lose it he does! Being a man who generally got what he went after, he falls in love and secretly marries Chiquita, daughter of the newly-elected president of Panama. Thomas Meighan is his usual likeable self. Gertrude Astor, former Lima girl, plays the part of Edith Courtland. In fact, it is the best thing she has done on the screen. John Milner and Lila Lee as Chiquita use also good and the other parts are capably handled by good filmed in Panama, so the right atmosphere is there.

times today at the Sigma theatre.

AT THE LYRIC

Last times today, an adaptation of James Oliver Curwood's story, "The Broken Silence" starring Zeena Keefe.

AT THE ORPHEUM

"Lima Follies of 1923" is the Orpheum's attraction all week. There will be a complete change of program on Thursday.

AT THE RIALTO

William Farnum in "Without Compromise" at the Rialto.

AT THE MAJESTIC

Rodolph Valentino and Lila Lee starred in "Blood and Sand" appearing again today at the Majestic

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"I am sure glad to recommend your Plant Juice medicine for I think it is fine."

The Plant Juice Man is at Hunter's drug store, 49 Public Square, Lima, where he is daily meeting the local public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy. Free samples given.

Plant Juice is sold also in Lima at Hunter's drug store at Main and Wayne streets and at the Argonne drug store, opposite Post Office.—Adv.



"BROWNIE"

theatre. Also Buster Keaton comedy, "The Haunted House."

MOVIEFORUM

In May or June, Fox will start production of "Six Cylinder Love" on the west coast. It's William Anthony McGuire's comedy sensation, one of last season's biggest New York hits.

"Gentle Julia," Booth Tarkington's popular novel and "Shadow of the East," by E. M. Hull, author of "The Sheikh," will be William Fox specials to go into production within the next few months, according to reports.

Old King Tut-Ah-Ah-Amen's tomb has given a solution to Maurice Tournier's latest problem. A brass bottle buried with the ancient Egyptian king is just the design needed for "The Brass Bottle," a First National production now being shot.

Photoplay departments in various



"GLEE"

universities throught the country is the aim of Robert T. Kane, general production manager of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation. He would have producing companies found chairs in the universities to educate "young blood" as directors.

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Society News

MISS NETTIE DEVELL presided at a luncheon-bridge at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Poling, W. Market-st., Monday, having as her guests, members of the Monday Knitting club. The luncheon tables at which the guests were seated, had large baskets of conchits and other spring flowers as attractive centerpieces, while the place cards and other appointments further carried out the color scheme of yellow and white. Following the luncheon, four tables of bridge were filled for play during the afternoon hours.

Those who accepted the hospitality of Miss Devel, Monday were: Mrs. Frank Moke, Mrs. Henry Densel Sr., Mrs. May Bolger, Mrs. Earl Seidte, Mrs. M. M. Keltner, Mrs. Fred Penn, Mrs. Oliver Stinner, Mrs. Everett Furnas, Mrs. Frank Stinner, Mrs. M. R. Thomas, Mrs. J. B. Poling, Mrs. Mark Galt, Mrs. Harry Beutley and Mrs. O. E. Davis.

Mrs. Almer Jones, W. Spring-st., will entertain the members of the Tuesday Bridge Club at the Lika home, Tuesday. A one o'clock luncheon will precede the afternoon's bridge playing. Covers will be laid for twelve guests.

Mrs. Geraldine Duffield, W. North-st., as her guest, Miss M. Nichols of Chicago. It is to meet her guest that Miss Duffield has invited a group of friends for a luncheon-bridge at the Lika's home, Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Wells 111 W. Halberst, will be hostess to the members of the Executive Club, at her home, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. William Moke of Akron arrived on Monday to be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. J. Edwards, N. Metcalfe-st.

The monthly meeting of the Red Circle Sunday school class of the First United Brethren church will be held at the home of Mrs. Ray Manhard, 264 W. High-st., Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Gertrude English, youngest daughter of Mrs. Daisy English, S. Metcalfe-st., became the bride of George E. Herold, N. Pierce-st., Saturday noon at the Grace M. E. church, the Rev. D. S. Kelly, pastor officiating. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alva Spencer. Following a wedding dinner, which was served in the lounge of the hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Herold left for a several weeks' trip thru the south.

Out-of-town guests here for the nuptials and who attended the dinner at the Naval Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Herold, of Cincinnati, Mrs. Ida Hollis of Waynesfield, David Healy of Dayton and Fay Herold of Barboursville, Ohio.

Mrs. John Dalby, 1606 Albert-st., will welcome the members of the Delta Alpha class of the South Side church of Christ at her home, Tuesday evening.

Miss Florence Schell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Schell, S. Pierce-st., for two weeks, returned to her work in Chicago, Monday. Miss Schell, who has a position with a commercial art company, also attends the art institute there.

SUSIE SMART'S ADVICE

Dear Miss Smart: I am a young man of 19 and am hesitatingly in love with a girl of 15. She seems to care for me and I care for her. I have no money, but my father is poor. Would it be proper for me to marry her away from her home? I have never seen her father and her mother never seems to mind. Sometimes she even goes with us, but I don't like to do that. In our school, what should I do? I can't go to her home to see her. I follow a little circumstance which is a hardship. I am at night school with girls with girls in school.

I wish my candid opinion. I'm giving it to you whether you wish it or not. I think you are a very foolish young man and do not possess the average common sense for a boy your age. You flatter yourself to think that you might be the cause of the trouble between parents who have a daughter of 15. To go with this girl, perhaps twice a week and with her mother accompanying you, is sufficient. She is too young to go so much and to have dates every night during this week. As for exchanging notes in school, don't do it. Boys and girls meet each other before school, after school and after school and yet they think it necessary to write notes, taking their time from their work and study to answer. If you are 19, you are a little old for high school, so why not study and graduate as soon as possible?

Dear Miss Smart: Will you please tell me how old must be to be married in Marion, Indiana? I am desirous to be from the state of Michigan. I heard that Michigan changed the law regarding this. I am 21 years old. I thank you.

I know nothing of Michigan having changed its laws regarding marriages. I believe it is the same as always, without parents' consent, the girl must be 16 years of age and the boy 18 years.

Your writing can be greatly improved; there are too much different types of handwriting. Why not practice during your spare time, on just one style and stick to that one?

Dear Miss Smart: My hair is falling out. I would like to make it look a little better without really bleaching it or making it too rough. How can I do this? Do you think a bleach would top my hair from curling? It is naturally curly.

I think that a girl that has light brown hair which curls naturally is very fortunate and would do well not to tamper with such a decided asset to beauty. Anything strong enough in its action to change the color of the hair is likely to injure its vitality, also, and might even affect its tendency to curl.

Dear Miss Smart: There is a young man who goes to the same church I do. I should like to be acquainted with him, but he is so interested with me and I don't know how to make it without seeming forward. What can I do?

Ask some older person who is active in the social affairs of the church, to introduce the young man to you.

Miss Doris Cook, who is studying at the Huron Road hospital of Cleveland, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cook, Fairview, for the coming week.

SMART BRIDAL ACCESSORIES

There is no longer seems to be any question of the propriety of adding a touch of color to the conventional veiled bridal gown. The predominating tone of course is white but by way of contrast many dressmakers are following the example of Lanvia in introducing a bit of soft green or very pale rose. One clever bride gown recently ordered by a smart bride was embroidered in pearl and very pale coral. Sometimes the flowers that ornament the hair and gown are tinged very faintly with rose shade.

Diadems are smartest of all bridal headresses this spring. Sometimes they are fashioned of artificial orange blossoms. Juliet caps are still worn and one occasionally sees a strip of lace passing from the cap under the chin in quaint fashion. Possibly the fact that Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, future duchess of York, has chosen cream chiffon as the fabric of the gowns of her bridesmaids will influence many a non-royal bride to choose cream color bridesmaids' gowns. Lily-leaf green is the color chosen for the trains of these wedding gowns. It has also been said that round muffs and bags are to be carried by the bridesmaids at this royal wedding.

At a recent wedding long bands of white crepe lace from the bride's shoulders took the place of a stately train. These lengths of crepe were allowed to fall gracefully and in this case their ends were carried by the maid of honor. In another instance the little train bearers carried these long shoulder draperies. Apparently this sort of drapery has as much grace and dignity as the time-honored train and does not have the disadvantage that a train possesses of concealing the contour lines of the draped gown.

WATCH THE NEEDLES. Be sure to put your needles in the cushion when you finish with them. Leaving them around where they may become embedded in upholstery is dangerous.

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SPINACH AND EGGS

PICK over and wash one-half peck of spinach in several waters. It is wilted, allow it to stand in cold water for two or three hours. Remove from water, place in kettle, add one-half teaspoon of salt and one-eighth teaspoon of baking soda, cover and cook 10 or 15 minutes, no longer. Drain thoroughly and chop. Place on a platter and on it six hard-boiled eggs, making nests for them. Pour over all a sauce made with two tablespoons of butter, two tablespoons of flour and one cup of milk, seasoned to taste.

The green color is retained if not cooked for too long a time.

The French cook the spinach in a large amount of boiling water, but are careful to use the water for the making of a spinach soup. The water contains valuable salts, and should not be thrown away.

This dish with the eggs is a good lunch or supper dish, and needs only a starched food with it, such as rice, macaroni or potatoes. French fried or saute potatoes are a good accompaniment.

Mrs. Snyder's HOME-MADE Candies

BY MRS. ORA SNYDER
America's Candy Queen
1 cup granulated sugar,
1 cup corn syrup,
1-2 cup cream,
1-4 cup butter,
Pinch of salt.
Mix ingredients and cook to a firm soft ball. Pour into a small buttered tin so that it will form a three-quarters inch thickness.
When cold cut into inch squares and wrap in wax papers or place on buttered dishes.
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TOMORROW: Stacks.

SAUSAGE BISCUITS

Mix together two cups of flour, tablespoons of baking powder, one-half teaspoon of salt and two tablespoons of lard or butter. Moisten with milk and knead to a soft dough.

Take onto a floured board, roll to one-fourth inch thickness and cut into squares three inches long and three inches wide. On one-half of each square put a spoonful of sausage meat, fold over the other half, press edges together and bake 20 minutes in a hot oven.

This is a Dutch recipe and is an excellent supper dish. It may be combined with a salad on wilted lettuce which is made by mixing bacon, finely chopped, the fat, vinegar, sugar, salt and pepper, and pouring it hot over the lettuce.

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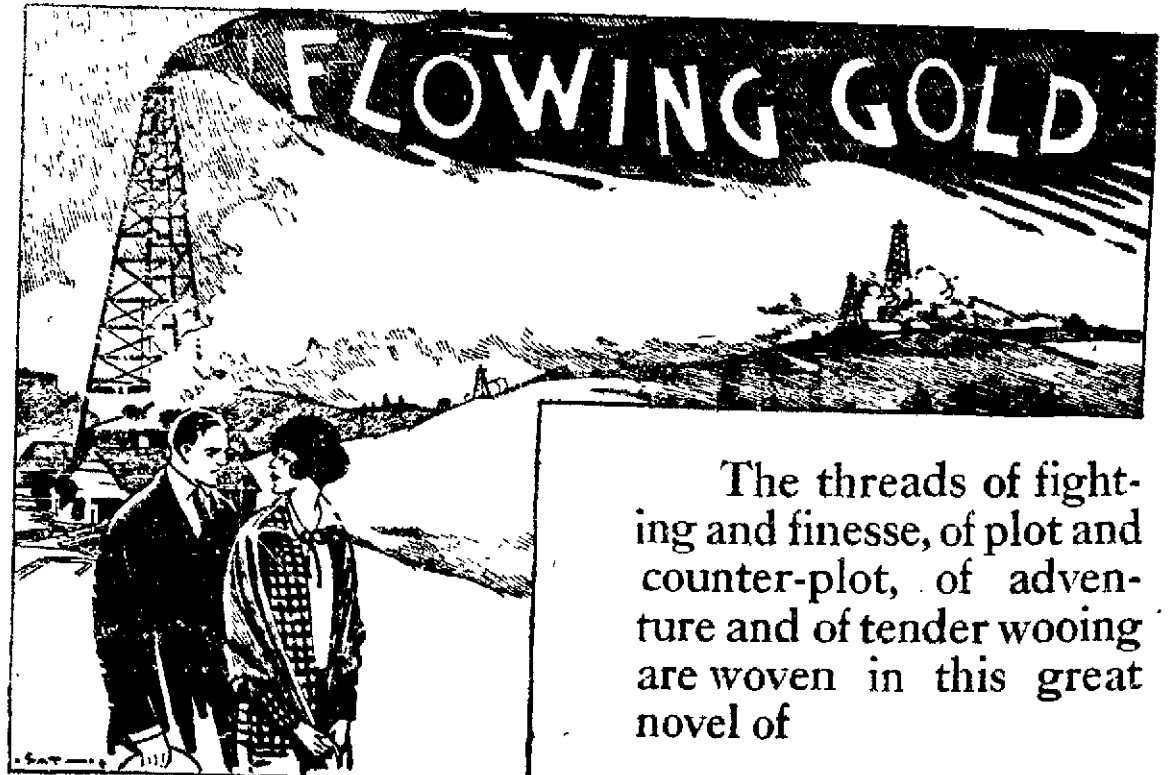
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FORD WORRYING BUSINESS MEN

Politicians Also Upset Over His Presidential Prospects

BOTH PARTIES FEAR RACE

G. O. P. Waits Him on Independent Ticket, Forbes Says

(BY B. C. FORBES)

NEW YORK — (Special) — Ford's presidential prospects are worrying business men and the politicians of both parties. Apparently, influential "organization" Democrats are afraid lest their candidate be stamped out for him, and they don't want him for various reasons. Regular Republicans don't think there is any chance of Ford's getting the Republican nomination, but they would not like to have to fight him on the Democratic ticket. The Republicans would shed no tears were Ford to run on an independent ticket. Then, they feel, they could easily elect their candidate in a three-cornered fight.

The sugar people are learning that the public know how to defend themselves. The reductions which have been brought about in sugar are whole-some rather than harmful. The spanking sugar men are now reaping what they have sown. However, the time will come, and probably very shortly, when it will be wise to let up. Unduly low prices or sugar, if maintained for any considerable period, would lead to restrictions of cultivation and production. And then we would all suffer hardships which no boycott could avert.

The people I have asked about the much discussed Chester concession declare that its importance has been ridiculously exaggerated. They say that even assuming there were no political obstacles, the value of the privileges promised is not exorbitant, but rather doubtful. These more or less familiar with the East and South of Turkey conditions and Turkish history feel that the Turks are dangerous, untrustworthy and to do business with Turkish promises, they claim, usually have strings attached, so that the promises are pulled back whenever the Turk thinks it advantageous to do so.

Banking is making a new stride in New York. Now comes the staunch old Chemical National with the announcement that it plans to open a dozen branches stretching from Wall Street to upper business centers. Old Bullfinch is the head of the concern, who has made new high records in eight consecutive months, including the month just ended.

This is the news I got this week from F. Patterson, President of the National Cash Register Company. They sold more registers in April than in any previous month in the company's long history—\$2,875,000 worth. Nor does he believe that the peak of 1923 business has been reached. The company aims at a new high and all records this year.

Put the officials know that to get business you have to get after it. Accordingly, First Vice President Baruch and Sales Manager Steffy are out on tour of the agencies in New York and Pennsylvania while President Johnson and Assistant Sales Manager Dwyer, are holding sales conferences in other parts of the country.

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NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

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STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	Last
American Can.	83 1/2	84 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Am. Locom.	125 1/2	126 1/2	125 1/2	126 1/2
Am. Smelting	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
Am. Steel	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
Am. Tel. & T.	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 3/4
Am. Woolen	9 1/2	9 3/4	9 1/2	9 3/4
Am. Copper	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Art. Metal	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
At. & W. I.	18 1/2	18 3/4	18 1/2	18 3/4
Bald. Loco.	128 1/2	129 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2
Bethlehem	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
Cal. Petro.	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/2	8 3/4
Can. Pac.	130 1/2	131 1/2	130 1/2	131 1/2
Cent. Loco.	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
Chandler	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 3/4
Ches. & O.	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 3/4
Col. & St. P.	21 1/2	21 3/4	21 1/2	21 3/4
Consolidated	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
Cuba Cane	14 1/2	14 3/4	14 1/2	14 3/4
Cuba Sugar	14 1/2	14 3/4	14 1/2	14 3/4
Gen. Electric	17 1/2	17 3/4	17 1/2	17 3/4
Gen. Motors	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
Gen. Steel	10 1/2	10 3/4	10 1/2	10 3/4
Ind. Alcohol	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 3/4
Int. Nickel	14 1/2	14 3/4	14 1/2	14 3/4
Kel. Spring	6 1/2	6 3/4	6 1/2	6 3/4
Kel. Copper	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Butte Copper	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 3/4

CHICAGO GRAIN PRICES

Courtesy of Thomson & McKinnon, 407-412 Citizens Building

WHEAT—May	118 1/2	118 3/4	118 1/2	118 3/4	118 1/2	118 3/4
July	117 1/2	117 3/4	117 1/2	117 3/4	117 1/2	117 3/4
Sept.	115 1/2	115 3/4	115 1/2	115 3/4	115 1/2	115 3/4
CORN—May	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4
July	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4
Sept.	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4
OATS—May	43 1/2	43 3/4	43 1/2	43 3/4	43 1/2	43 3/4
July	44 1/2	44 3/4	44 1/2	44 3/4	44 1/2	44 3/4
Sept.	42 1/2	42 3/4	42 1/2	42 3/4	42 1/2	42 3/4
RYE—May	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4
July	80 1/2	80 3/4	80 1/2	80 3/4	80 1/2	80 3/4

OTHER GRAIN PRICES

WHEAT—May	118 1/2	118 3/4	118 1/2	118 3/4
July	117 1/2	117 3/4	117 1/2	117 3/4
Sept.	115 1/2	115 3/4	115 1/2	115 3/4
CORN—May	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/4
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STANDARD OIL STOCKS

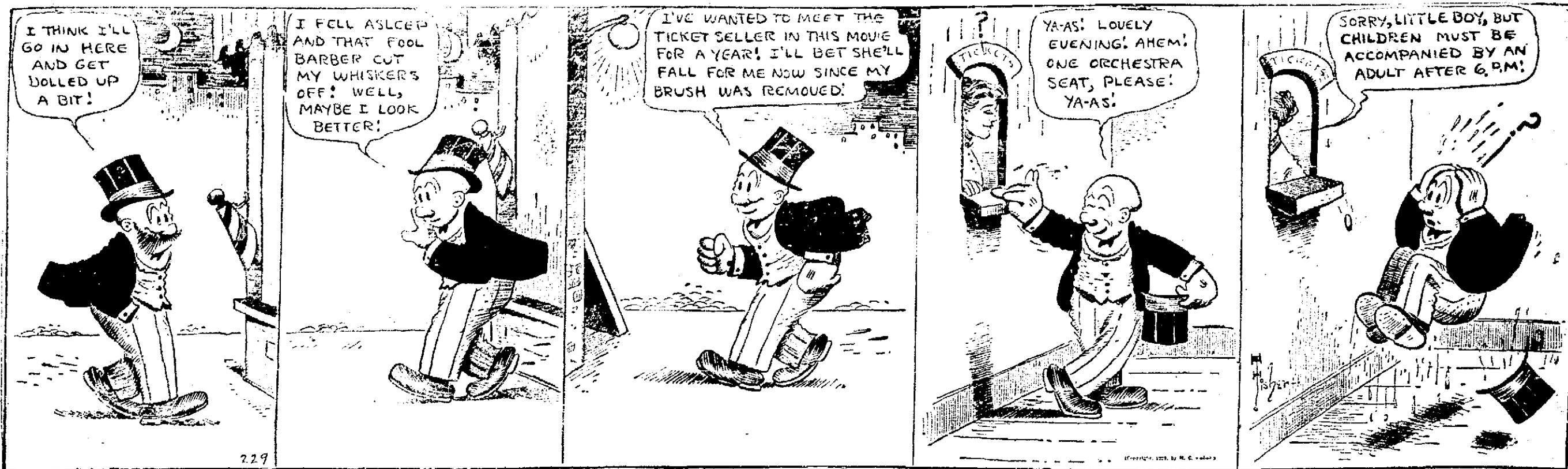
Liquidating Sales				Cumberland Pipe	112	117
				Ducka Pipe Line	106	107
				Galena Signal Com	83	84
				Galena Signal Pfd.	112	114
				Illinois Pipe Line	161	166
				Judana Pipe Line	106	107
				National Transit	234	242
				New York Transit	124	127
				South Penn. Pipe Line	109	110
				Ohio Oil	63	67
				International Petro.	174	175
				Prarie Oil & Gas	206	210
				Prarie Pipe Line	104	106
				Solar Refining	150	157
				Standard Oil of Ind.	104	105
				South Penn. Oil	89	93
				S. W. Penn. Pipe Line	83	88
				Standard Oil of Ind.	104	105
				Standard Oil of Kansas	404	409
				Standard Oil of Kentucky	83	87
				Standard Oil of New York	112	113
				Standard Oil of Ohio	27	29
				Swan & Finch	27	30
				Wagon Oil	156	158
				Wagon Oil	27	29
				Standard Oil of Neb.	217	219
				Imperial Oil Ltd.	112	113

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NEW YORK.—Speculative sentiment was still unsettled at the opening of today's stock market, but it exceeded losses in the initial dealings. New York Central was the standing strong point, gaining 2 point. American Tobacco advanced 1-5-8 and Mack Truck 1 3-8. The large fractional gains were seen by Baldwin, Cuba Cane sugar and Davison Chemical and American Ice. Steubenville and U. S. common yielded 1-5-8.

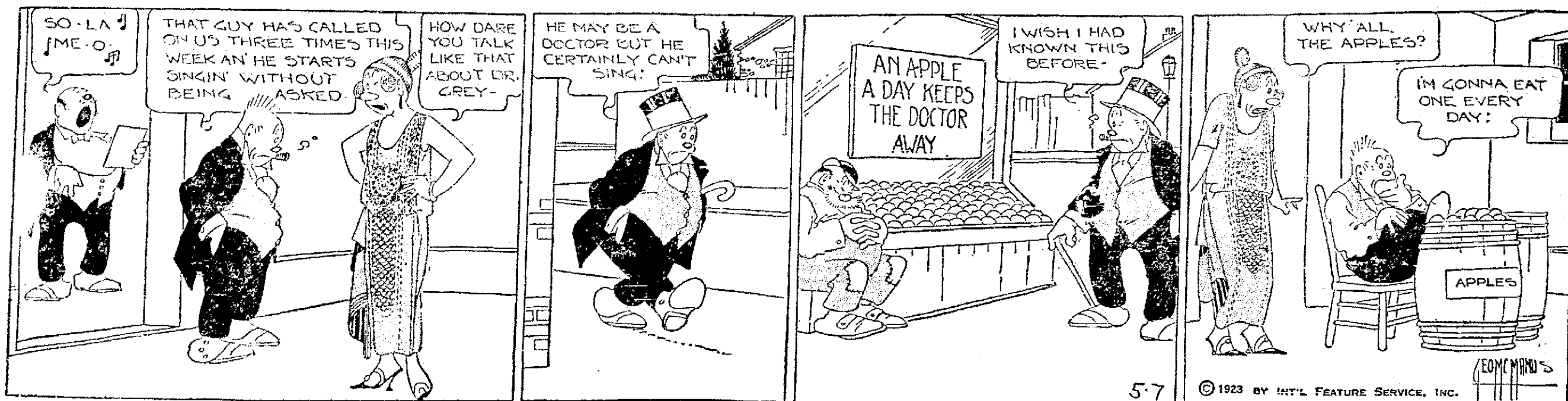
MUTT AND JEFF—NOT ONLY MUCH HANDSOMER—BUT ALSO MUCH YOUNGER LOOKING—

By BUD FIS



BRINGING UP FATHER—

—By McMAN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—TRIMMED VERY CLOSE—

By BLOSS

SHORT SHAVINGS

County Game Warden Charley Jones protested it was a little out of his blue but finally consented to take charge of an automobile left standing beside the road near Altitude.

"I guess it was abandoned," he says. "Anyhow, it had been standing there so long the hens had started laying eggs in the back seat."

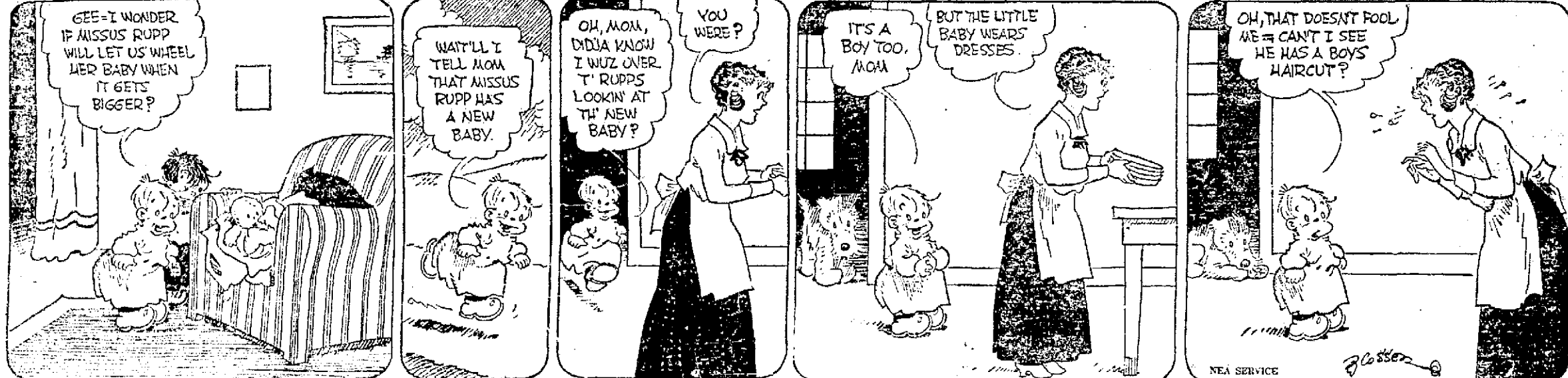
"Ducky" Tobin landed a fine big catfish with whiskers, the largest so far this season at St. Marys.

"A beauty!" is how other admiring anglers to whom he showed his catch spoke of it. "It might be good looking," a neighbor agreed. "That is—for a catfish."

R. B. Tolon tells about a friend who was looking around a junk shop for some spare parts for an automobile. It got late. The junk shop man wanted to shut up. So he did, not noticing the hero of this tale who remained locked up in the shop thru the dinner hour and until time for breakfast.

Andy Starkey, fox hunter, also is known for the accomplished chickens he keeps in a fine chicken yard at Altitude, O.

The other day he came to town with an egg laid by one of his hens. "The egg was so big," he says, "that many persons refused to believe that a hen laid it. They said they bet I had an ostrich concealed about the place."



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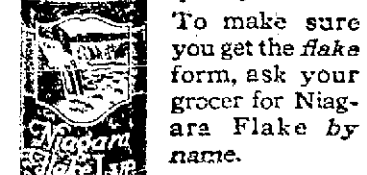


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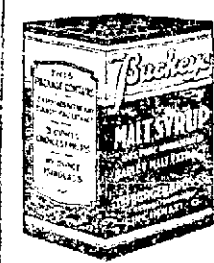
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